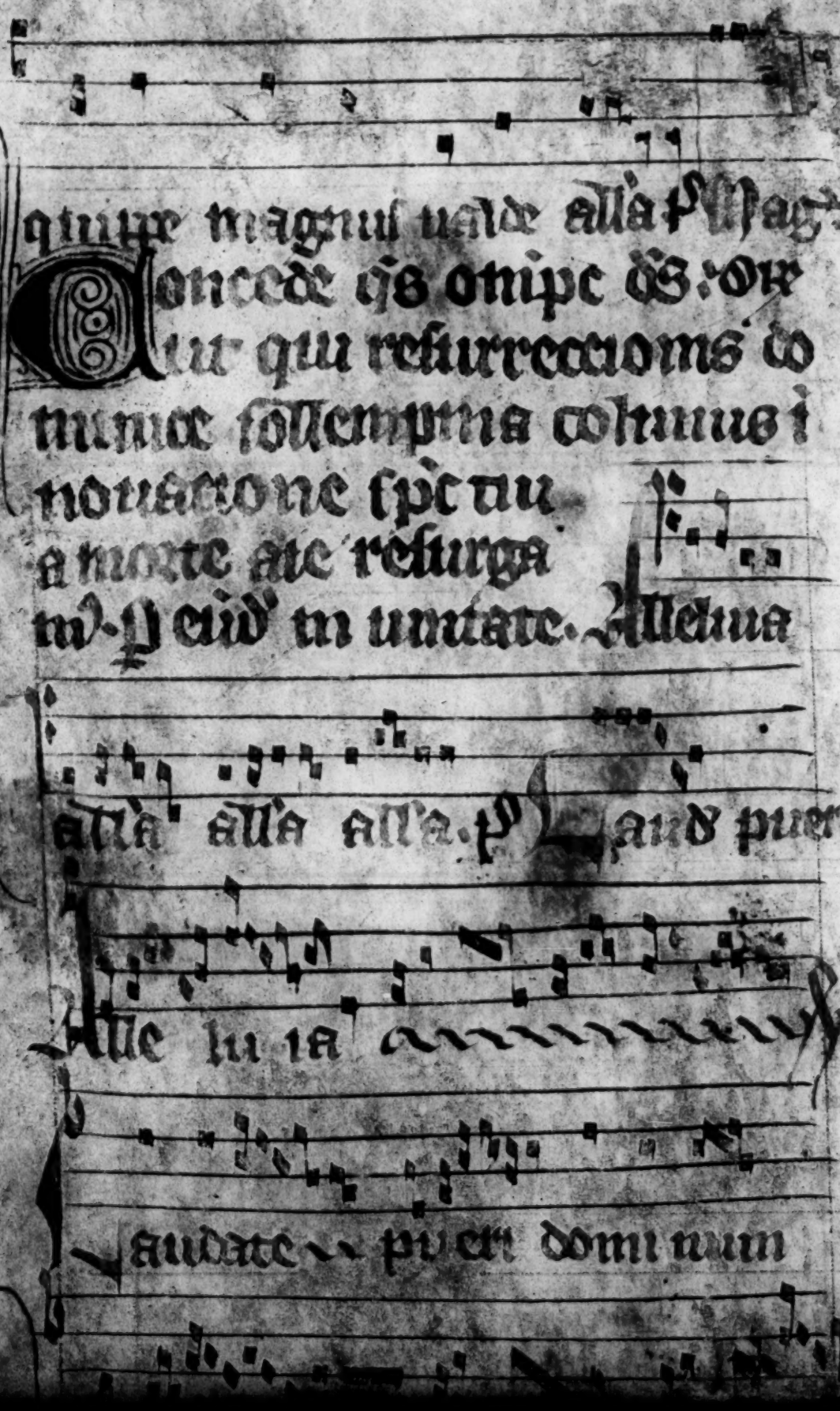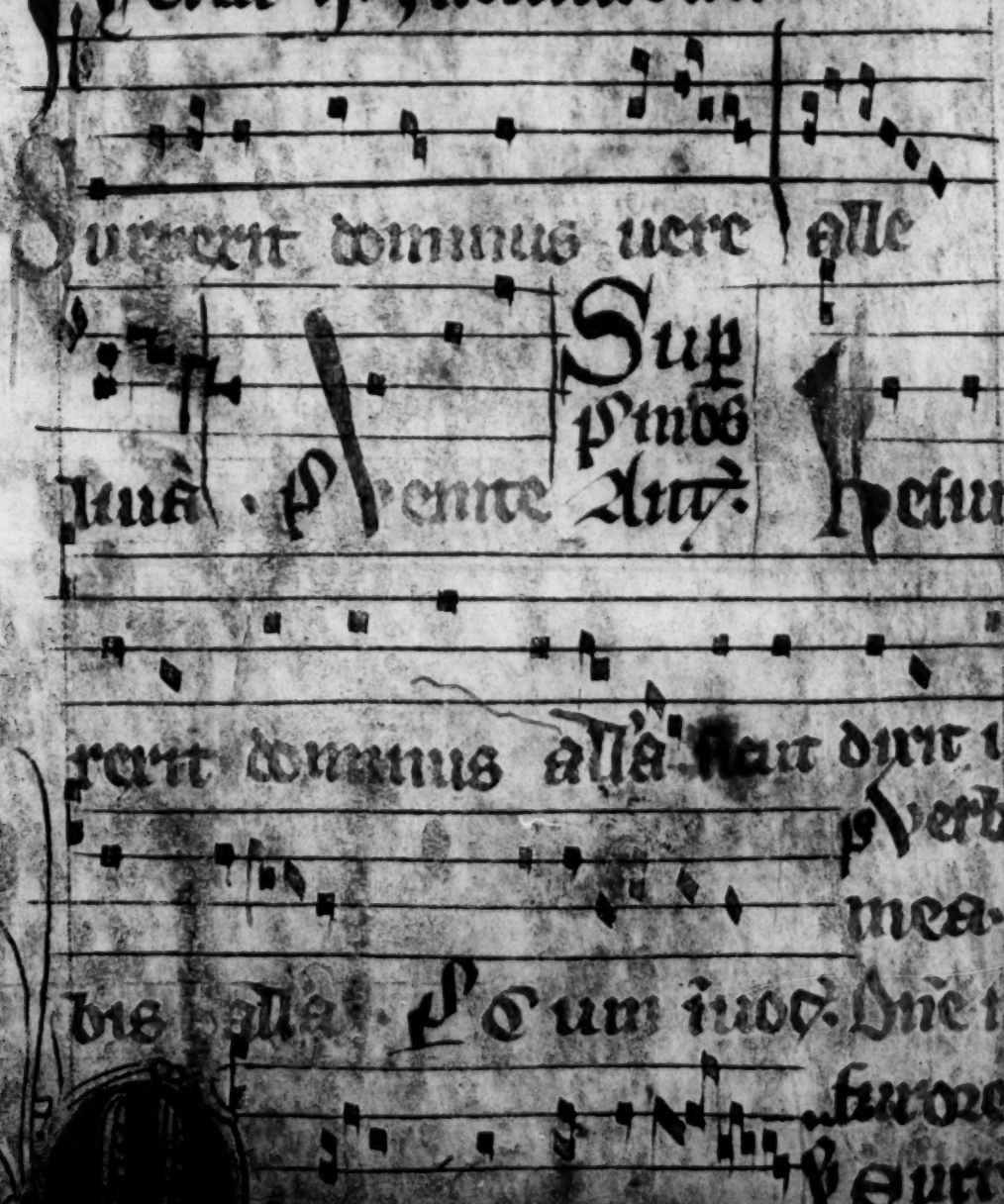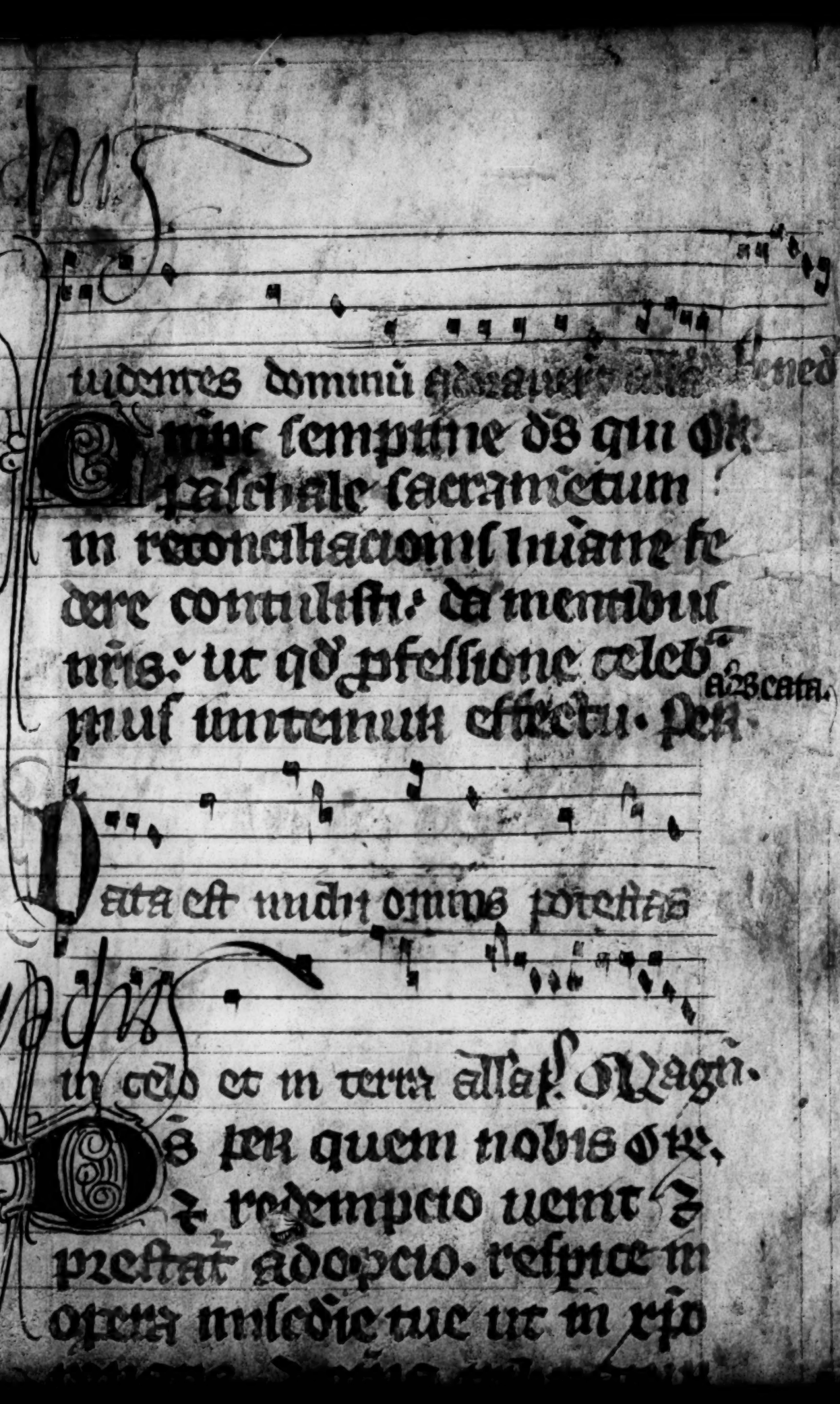

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℟. In resurrõe tua. ℣. Spũs
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& amare qd̄ precipis. Ad
Oleges omp̄s ds. ut fonte.
ecclīa tua. & tuor̄ fir
mitate membror̄ & nouas sē
per fecunditate letet. per.
Hex. vij. ℣. Cecinerunt
℣. Exaudiat te dominus in.℣.
Die in uirtute tua. ℣ Turture.

Expurgate uetus fermentū ut
stus nouus con- sper sio eten
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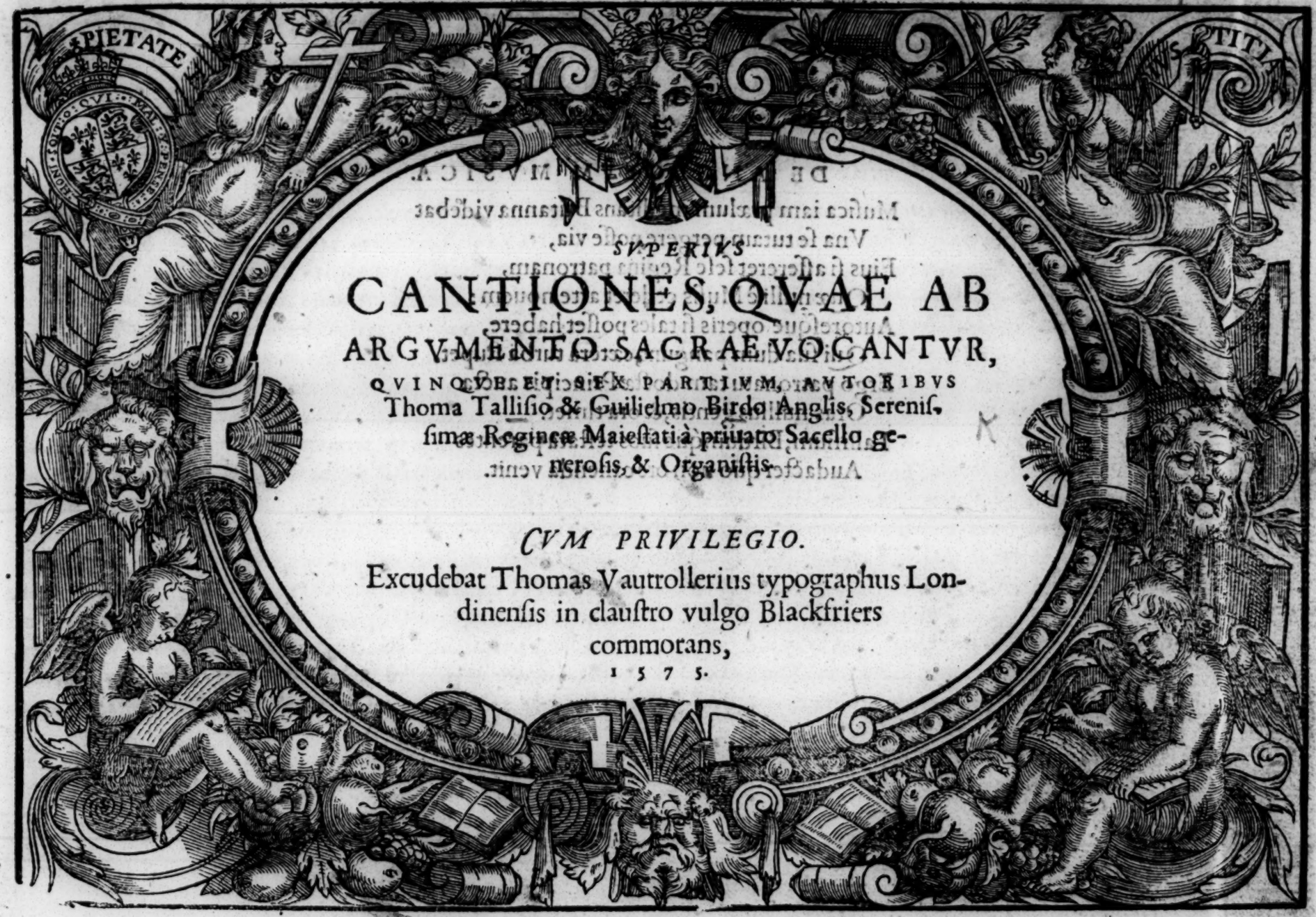
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# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET TRIVM, EX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS

Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſ. ſimæ Reginæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

1575.

## DE ANGLORVM MVSICA.

Muſica iam prælum meditans Britanna videbat
Vna ſe tutam pergere poſſe via,
Eius ſi aſſereret ſeſe Regina patronam,
Quæ nulli è Muſis cederet arte nouem:
Autoreſque operis ſi tales poſſet habere,
Qui ſua dum pangunt, cætera turba ſtupet.
Ergo patronatu tam doctæ Principis aucta
Oras nullius gentis, & ora timet.
Talliſium, Birdumque ſuos teſtata parentes
Audacter quo non ore canenda venit.

# SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPI

## ELIZABETHAE DEI GRATIA ANGLIÆ FRANCIÆ

& Hiberniæ Reginæ &c. virtutis & vitæ fortunatum progressum.

*SI nobis res esset, Serenissima Princeps, vel cum ijs, qui artem Musicam, quia non norunt, non probant, vel cum ijs, qui ipsi iudicio ex arte carentes eius præstantiam admirabili sonorum effectu metiuntur : Philosophos, Mathematicos, Rerumpub. architectos aduocaremus, qui eius necessarium Reipub. vsum argumentis & experiẽtia, vel infensissimo Musici nominis hosti extorquerent: Poëtas & allegoricè docẽtes quosdam Physicos citaremus, qui apud homines imperitos illos quidẽ, sed incredibili tamen rei Musicæ admiratione delinitos facile impetrarent, cum ea arte nullam esse aliam quæ de principatu possit contendere. Sed cum apud tuam Maiestatem res agatur quæ delectu tuo iudicium tuũ prodidisti, & canendi peritiã tibi probari, in eo probas omnibus, quòd ei arti ita semper regiè incubueris, vt in ea iam egregiè profeceris, & cum summis artificibus comparata, vel vocis elegantia, vel digitorum agilitate facile illis præmineas, satis erit in tua solius scientia & iudicio conquiescere, neque pluribus ad fidem rei faciendam argumentis vti, ne vel dubitando suspicionẽ ementitæ laudis videamur alicui ingenerare, vel nimis curiosa argumentatione, aliquid de tuæ Maiestatis præstanti iudicio detrahere, quasi vel parum consideratè eam primo cõplexa fueris vel iam de priori sentẽtia vacillare cœperis, cui si nostrã operã probamus, omnibus eam probatã tri cõfidimus, cũ iudicio tuo ab omnibus tãtum tribuatur. Qua itaque es peritia, Illustrissima Princeps, ad tuam Maiestatem, vt iudicem confugimus, qua clementia vt ad patronam nos recipimus, quæ prolem hanc nostram tua auctoritatè sic apud omnes tueare, vt nos ipsos liberalissimo tuo stipendio hactenus aluisti. Confidentiæ nostræ ignoscet Serenissima Maiestas tua, quòd tantam principem sic ausi simus interpellare, cum è solo voluntatis tuæ testimonio pendeat, debeamusne vlterius in hoc genere progredi, an hoc vno libro labores nostros terminare. Deus. opt. Max. Maiestatem tuam diu, incolumiter, fortunatè nobis conseruet.*

TVÆ MAIESTATIS
humillimi Seruientes. Tho.
Tall. & Guil. Birdus.



T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII,
## ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.

*QVanti sit precij res Musica, quamq; regendis*
*Insanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ sedem cuiuslibet esse,*
*E quibus efficitur Musica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Respublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Musica sedem*
*Obtineat, primo sitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quod & insignes medici, qui sana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conseruet, mentem Musica sana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philosophis annosa vetustas*
*Conspirans hanc est tota sequuta viam.*
*Sed neque posteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à se prorsus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum discrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet esse sibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Musica iure,*
*Vt quò quisque sapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo summo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maiestas ætatis gloria nostræ*
*Hanc in delicijs semper habere solet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipsa etiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel semper amarunt,*
*Ausæ sunt scriptis nobilitare suis.*
*Illustres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere scienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum nostra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, sed semper passa latere suos,*
*Tallisium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum discutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt sic,*
*Iudicio patriæ siquid honoris inest,*
*Nomen honoratum sibi promereatur vterq;,*
*Musica quà magnum peruia nomen habet,*
*Quorum iudicio fidens se pandit apertè*
*Musica, quam Oceani Regia diues alit.*

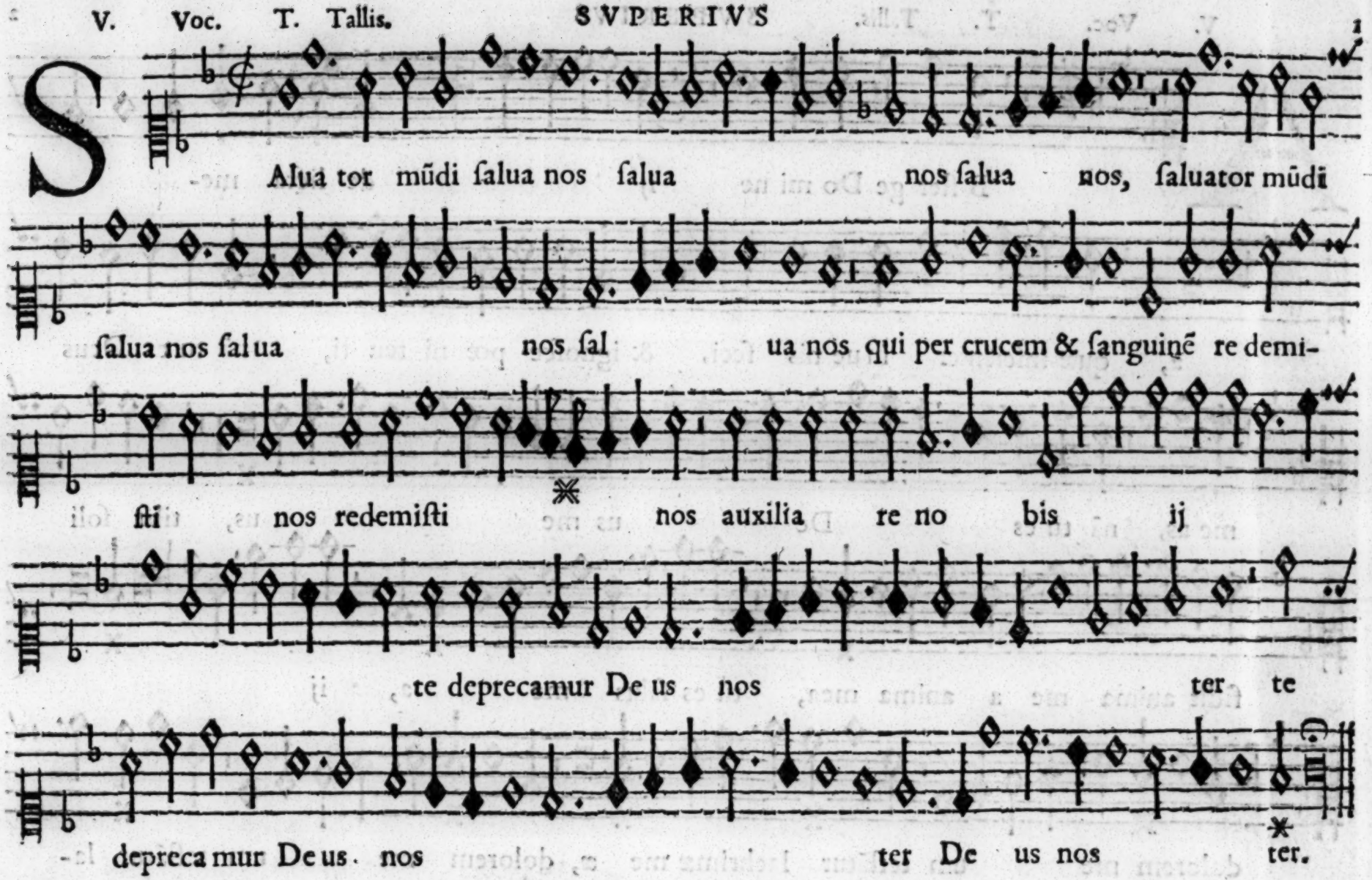
Richardus Mulcasterus.

# IN EANDEM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI MVSICAM.

Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Musica præcones cerneret esse sui,
Illorumque opera per summa cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce sonare,
Edere & immensæ posteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuisse modos,
Temporis Alphonsum nostri Phœnica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet esse sua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impressum nomen habere libro.
Penè subirasci cœpit, nostrosque Britannos
Indignos donis insimulare suis.
Quos certò scierat multum potuisse canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent tristem finire querelam,
Tallisius magno dignus honore senex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magistrum,
Promittunt posthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendosque suos cantus, sua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis passus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio sint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, si pueris rudibus censura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata stylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet esse suos
Hæc habui, venerande senex, mihi magne magister,
Danda tibi mentis conscia signa meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis nostræ spes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum sic orno magistrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod si quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Musica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita nostræ,
Quin debere mihi se quoque Musa putet.
Interea, mihi dum succrescit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi sint bona signa boni.

*Ferdinandus Richardsonus.*

V. Voc. T. Tallis. SVPERIVS



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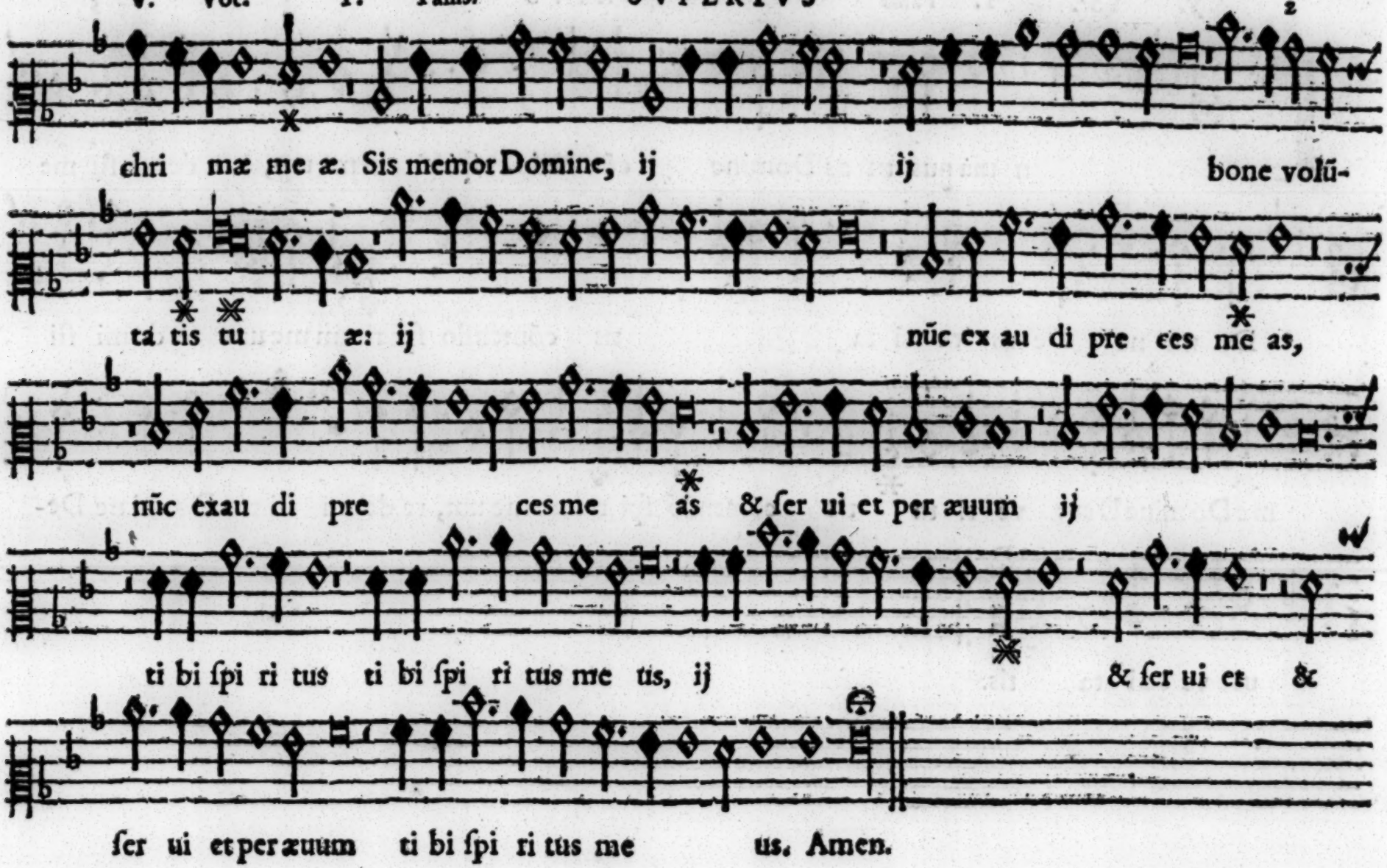
a, quæ inſcienter iu ue nis feci, & ignoſce pœ ni ten ti, nã tu es Deus

me us, nã tu es De us me us, tibi ſoli

fidit anima me a anima mea, tu es ſalus me a, ij

dolorem me um teſtãtur lachrimæ me æ, dolorem me um teſtãtur la-

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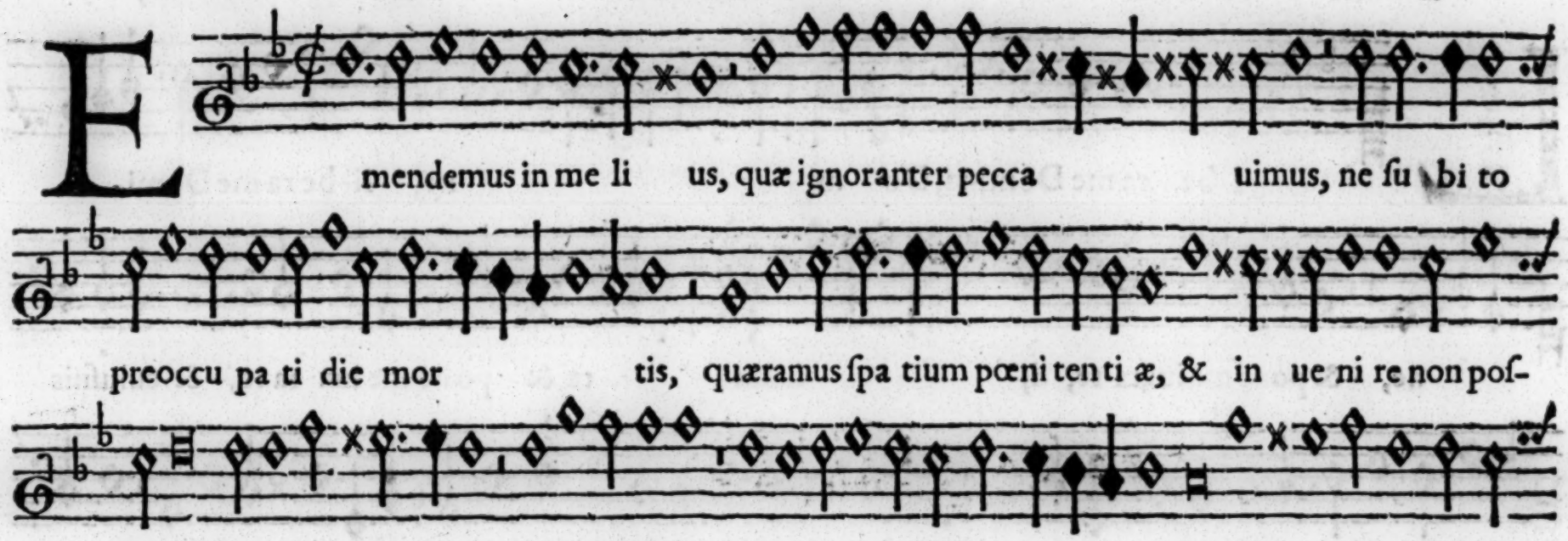

chri mæ me æ. Sis memor Domine, ij ij bone volũ-
tá tis tu æ: ij nũc ex au di pre ces me as,
nũc exau di pre ces me ás & ſer ui et per æuum ij
ti bi ſpi ri tus ti bi ſpi ri tus me tis, ij & ſer ui et &
ſer ui et per æuum ti bi ſpi ri tus me us. Amen.

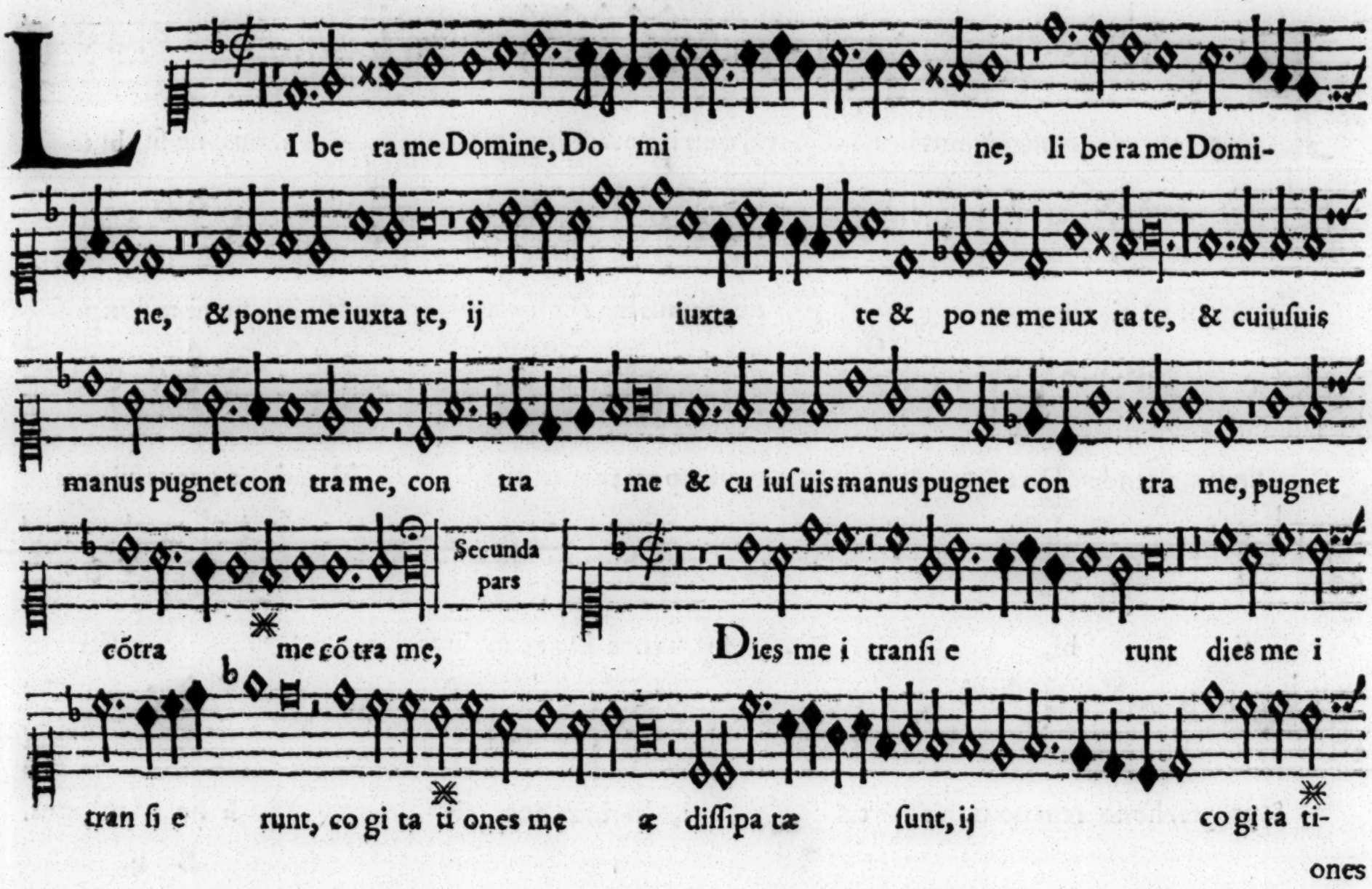
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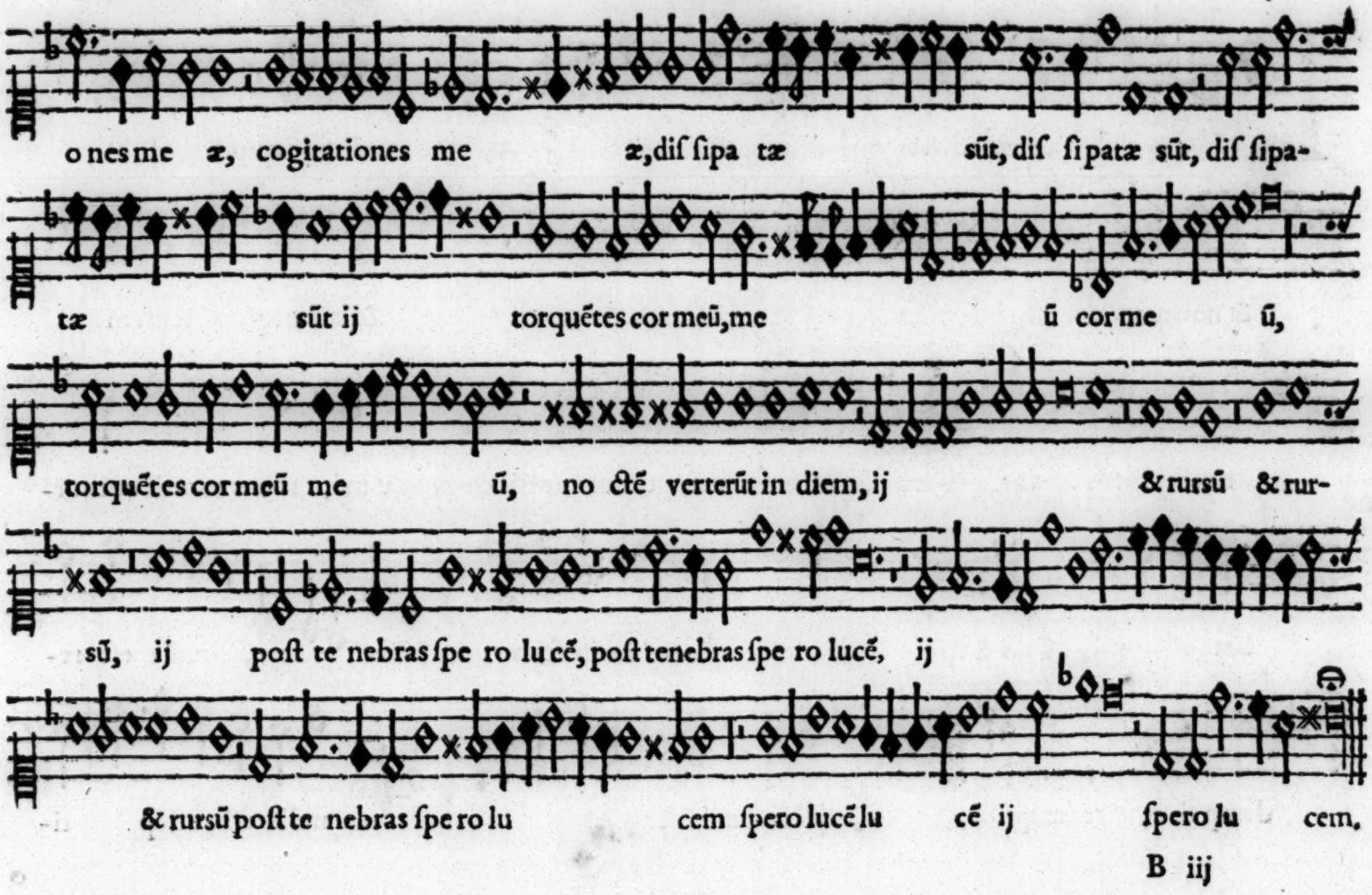
Do mi ne De us ve ri ta tis cõmendo ſpi ritum meum re de mi ſti

me Do mine Deus ve ri ta tis cõmendo ſpi ritum meum, re de mi ſti me Do mi ne De-

us ve ri ta tis.


Emendemus in me li us, quæ ignoranter pecca uimus, ne ſu bi to
preoccu pa ti die mor tis, quæramus ſpa tium pœni ten ti æ, & in ue ni re non poſ-
ſumus, attende Do mine, & mi ſe re re, qui a peccauimus ti bi, qui a pec ca ui mus
Secunda pars
ti bi, Ad iu ua nos De us ſa lu ta ris no ſter,
& propter hono rem no minis tu i, li bera nos ij li be ra nos.


LI be ra me Domine, Do mi ne, li be ra me Domi-
ne, & pone me iuxta te, ij iuxta te & po ne me iux ta te, & cuiuſuis
manus pugnet con tra me, con tra me & cu iuſ uis manus pugnet con tra me, pugnet
cõtra me cõ tra me,
Secunda pars
Dies me i tranſi e runt dies me i
tran ſi e runt, co gi ta ti ones me æ diſſipa tæ ſunt, ij co gi ta ti-
ones


onesme æ, cogitationes me æ,diſſipa tæ sũt, diſſipatæ sũt, diſſipa-
tæ sũt ij torquẽtes cor meũ,me ũ cor me ũ,
torquẽtes cor meũ me ũ, no ctẽ verterũt in diem, ij & rursũ & rur-
sũ, ij poſt te nebras ſpe ro lu cẽ, poſt tenebras ſpe ro lucẽ, ij
& rursũ poſt te nebras ſpe ro lu cem ſpero lucẽ lu cẽ ij ſpero lu cem,

Peccan tẽ me quoti di e, quo ti di e, peccantẽ me quoti di e
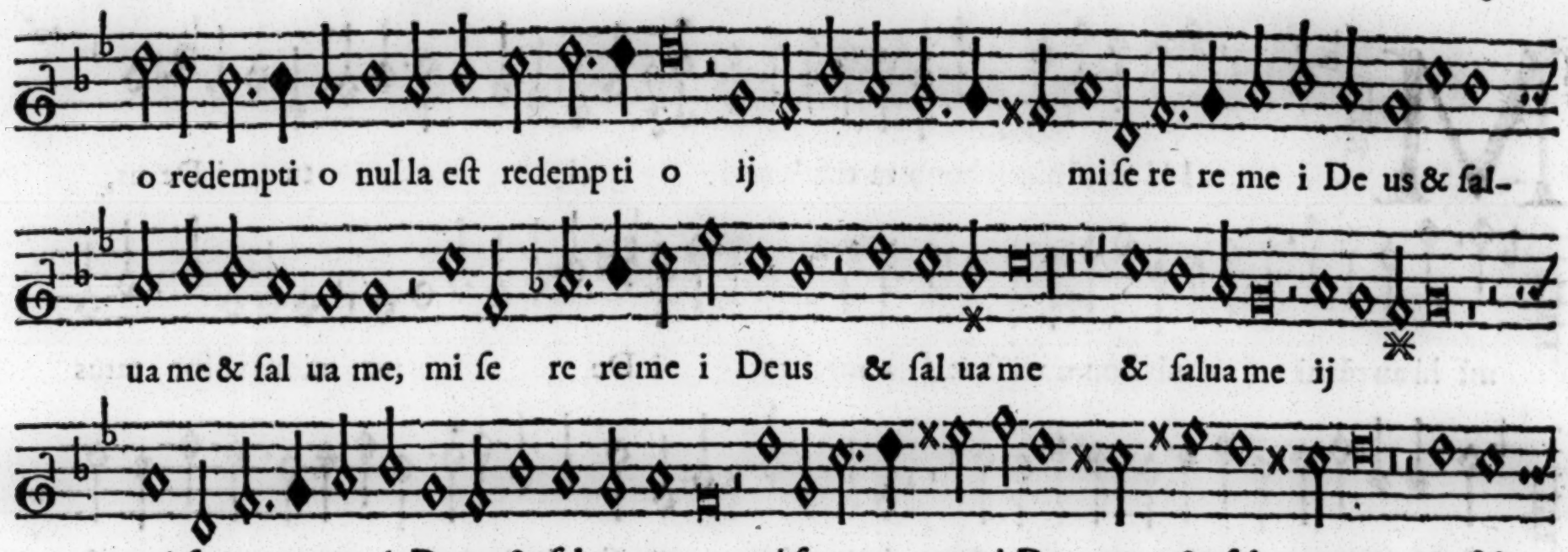
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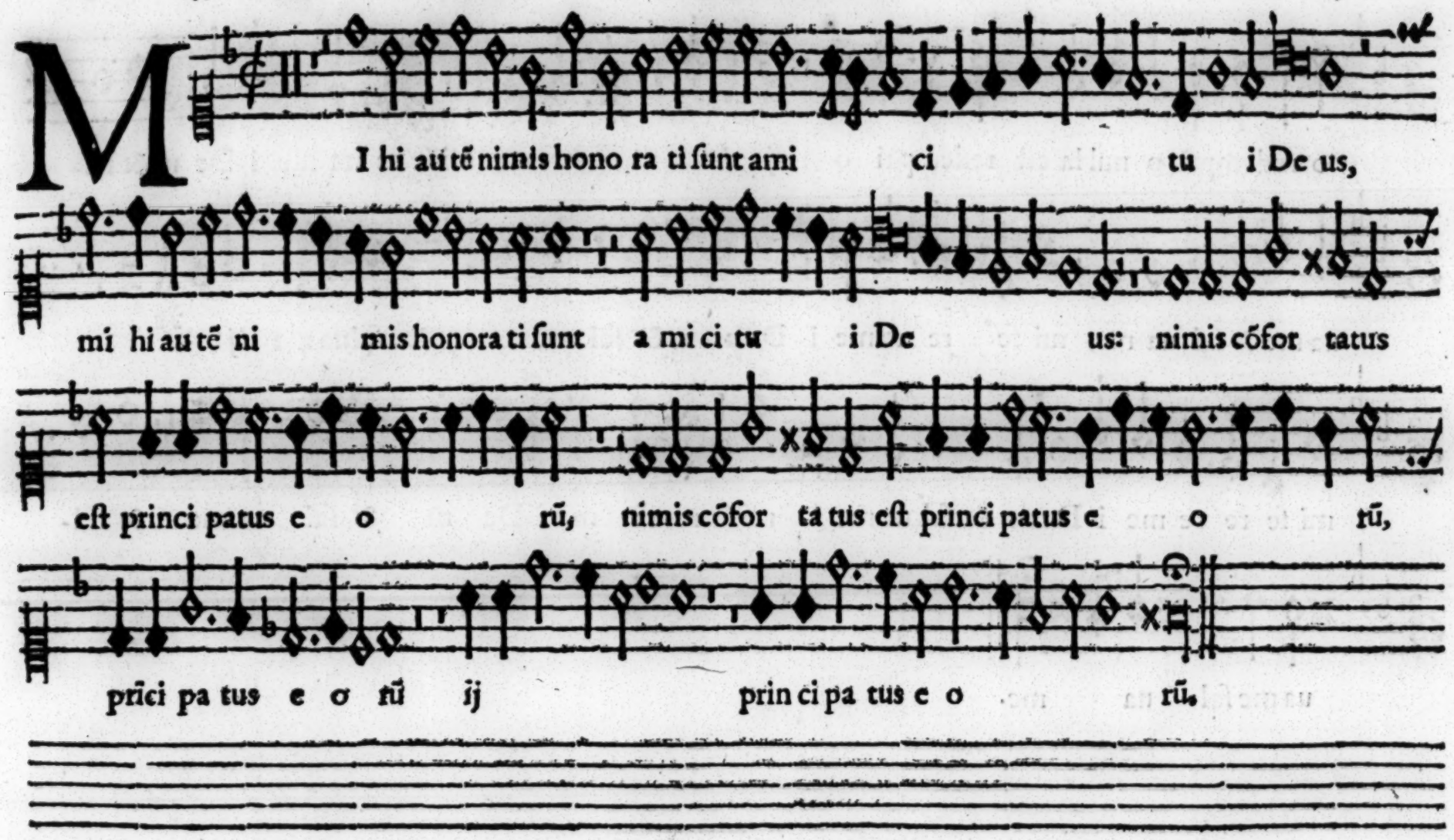
timor mortis contur bat me, timor mortis conturbat me, timor mortis contur-
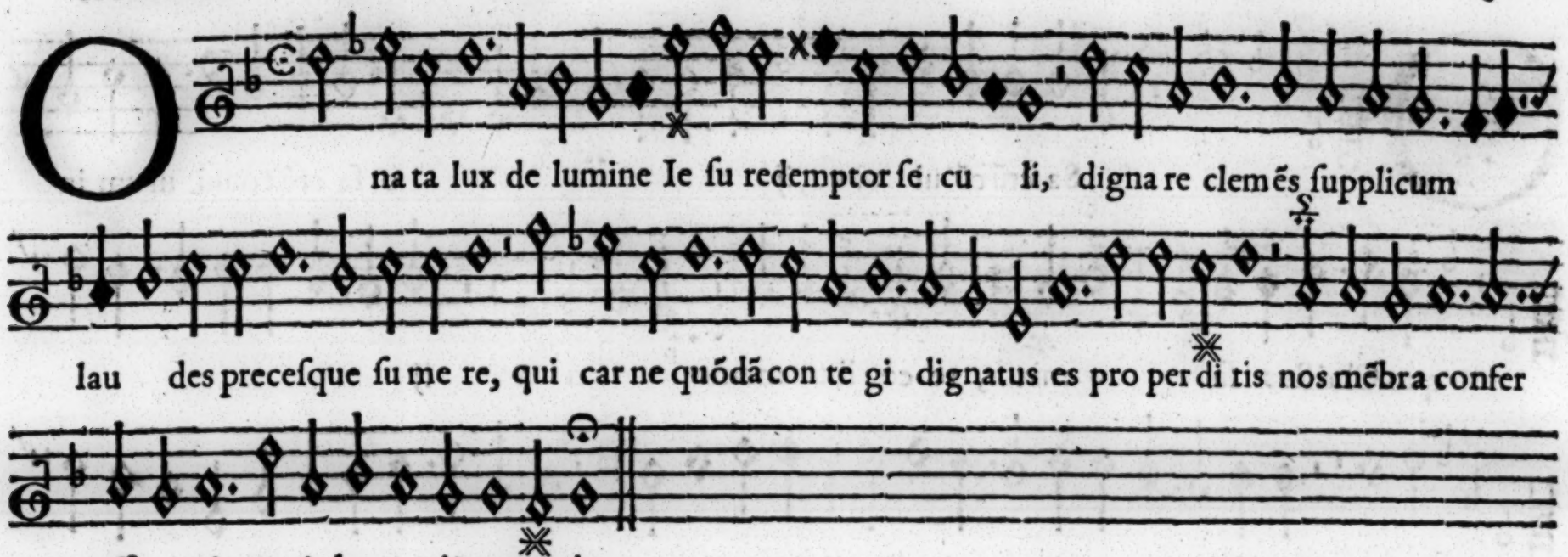
bat me, cõ tur bat me, qui a in in fer no in in fer no, nulla eſt re-

demp ti o, redempti o, qui a in in fer no nulla eſt re dẽp ti-

o


o redempti o nulla eſt redempti o ij
miſe re re me i De us & ſal-
ua me & ſal ua me, mi ſe re re me i Deus & ſal ua me & ſalua me ij
mi ſe re re me i Deus & ſal ua me miſe re re me i De us & ſal ua me & ſal-
ua me ſal ua me.


MI hi autẽ nimis honora ti ſunt ami ci tu i De us,
mi hi autẽ ni mis honora ti ſunt a mi ci tu i De us: nimis cõfor tatus
eſt princi patus e o rũ, nimis cõfor ta tus eſt princi patus e o tũ,
prĩci pa tus e o rũ ij princi pa tus e o rũ.


O
na ta lux de lumine Ie ſu redemptor ſé cu li, digna re clemẽs ſupplicum
lau des preceſque ſu me re, qui car ne quõdã con te gi dignatus es pro per di tis nos mẽbra confer
effi ci tu i be a ti corpo ris.

O Sa crũ cõ ui uium, ij o ſa crũ conui ui um in
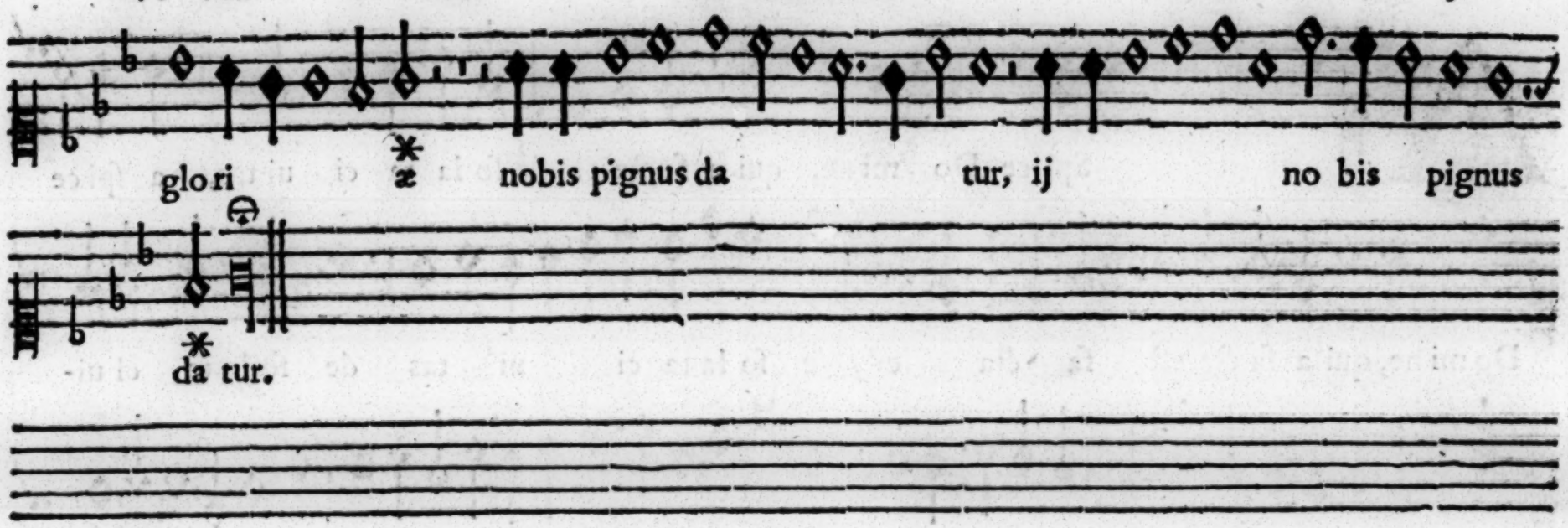
quo Chriſtus ſu mi tur, re co li tur memo ri a ij

paſſi o nis e ius, ij mẽs imple tur gra ti-
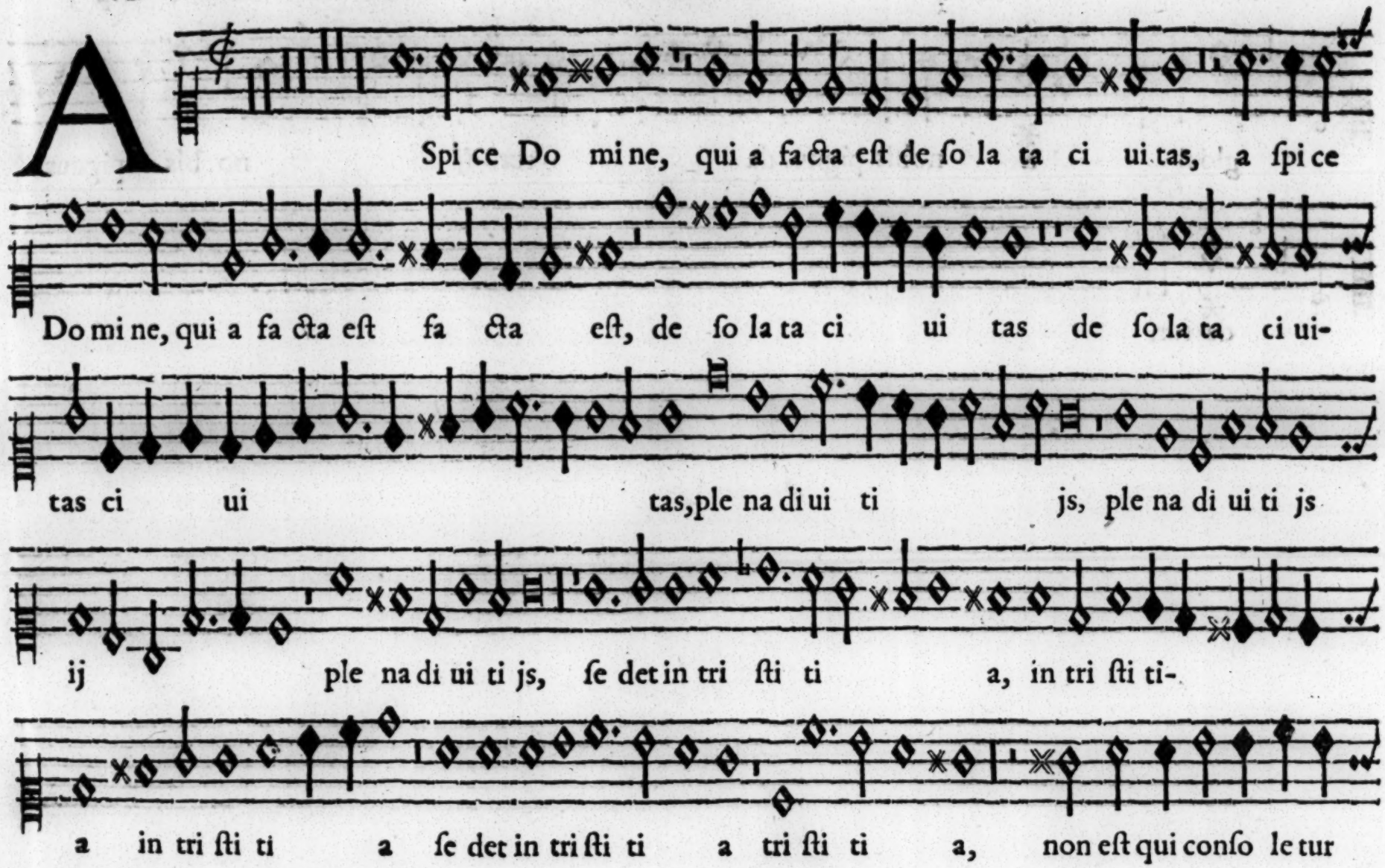
a, ij & fu tu ræ glo ri æ no bis pignus

da tur, ij no bis pignus da tur & fu tu ræ
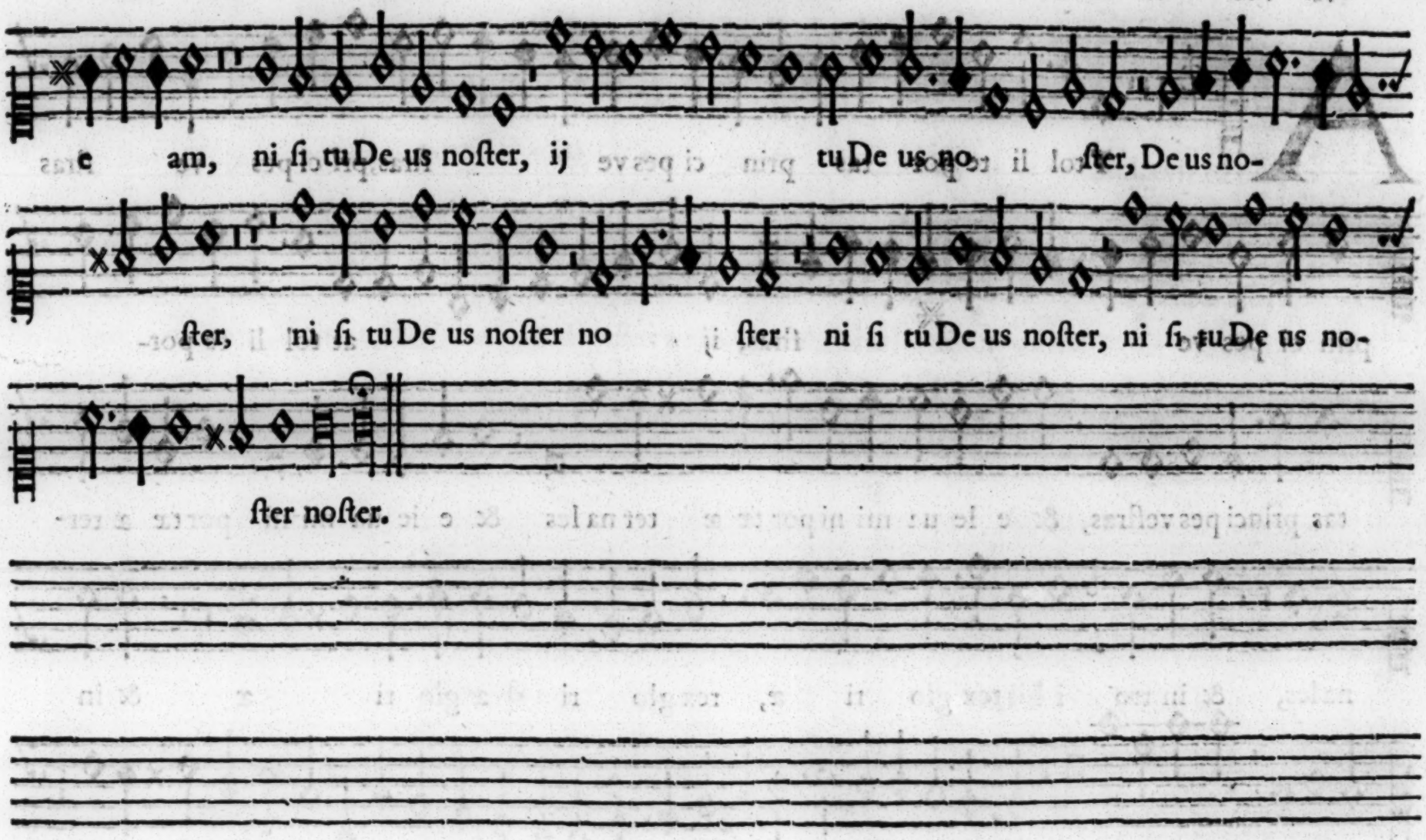
glo-


glo ri
nobis pignus da
tur, ij
no bis
pignus
da tur.

A


Spi ce Do mi ne, qui a fa cta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, a ſpi ce
Do mi ne, qui a fa cta eſt fa cta eſt, de ſo la ta ci ui tas de ſo la ta ci ui-
tas ci ui tas,ple na di ui ti js, ple na di ui ti js
ij ple na di ui ti js, ſe det in tri ſti ti a, in tri ſti ti-
a in tri ſti ti a ſe det in tri ſti ti a tri ſti ti a, non eſt qui conſo le tur

eam


e am, ni ſi tu De us noſter, ij tu De us no- ſter, De us no-
ſter, ni ſi tu De us noſter no ſter ni ſi tu De us noſter, ni ſi tu De us no-
ſter noſter.

A tol li te por tas prin ci pes ve ſtras, prin ci pes ve ſtras
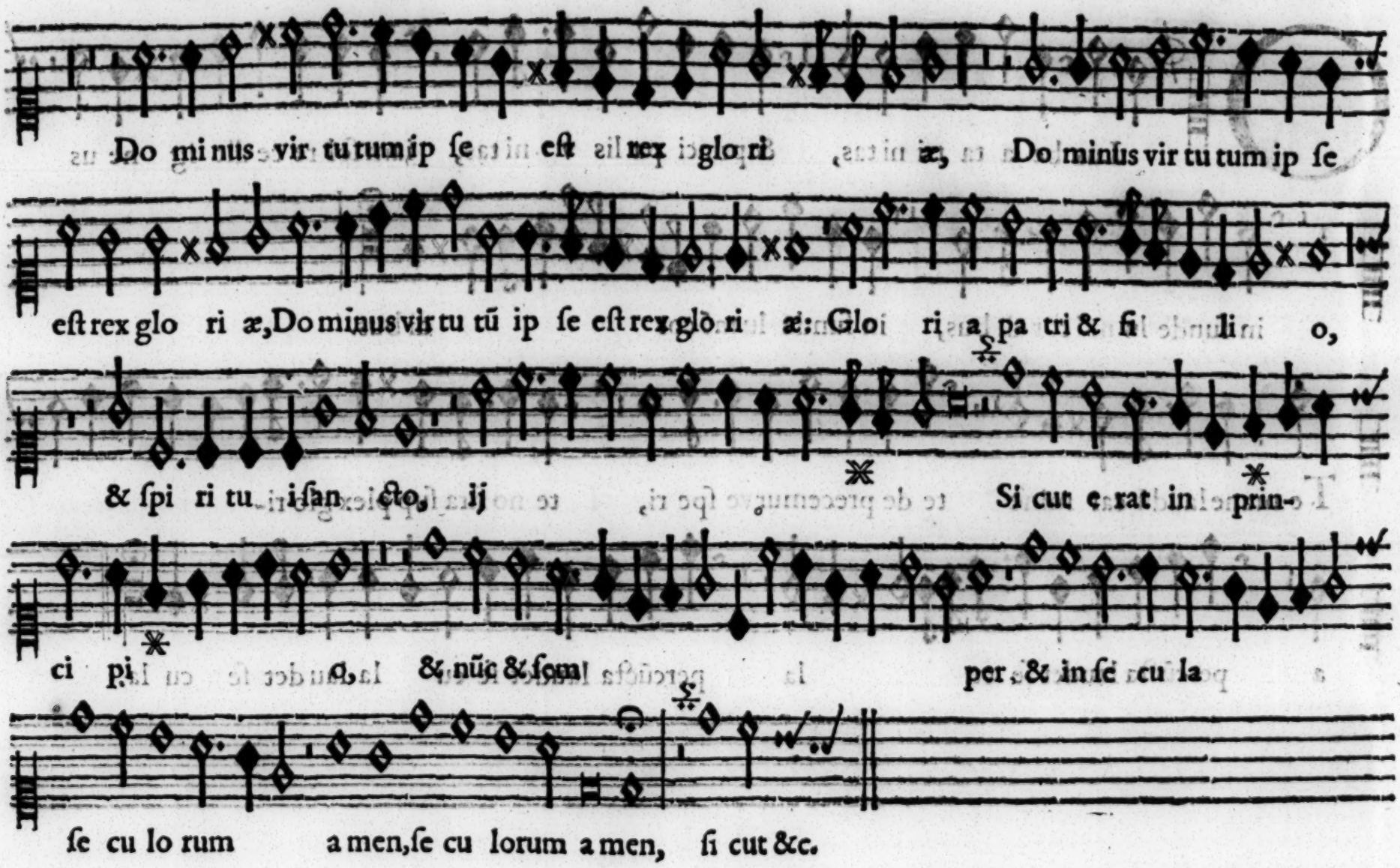
prin ci pes ve ſtras, ij at tol li te por-

tas princi pes veſtras, & e le ua mi ni por tæ æ ter na les & e le ua mi ni por tæ æ ter-

na les, & in tro i bit rex glo ri æ, rex glo ri æ glo ri æ & in

tro i bit rex glo ri æ: quis eſt ip ſe rex glo ri æ? Dominus fortis & potẽs in præ li o,

Dominus

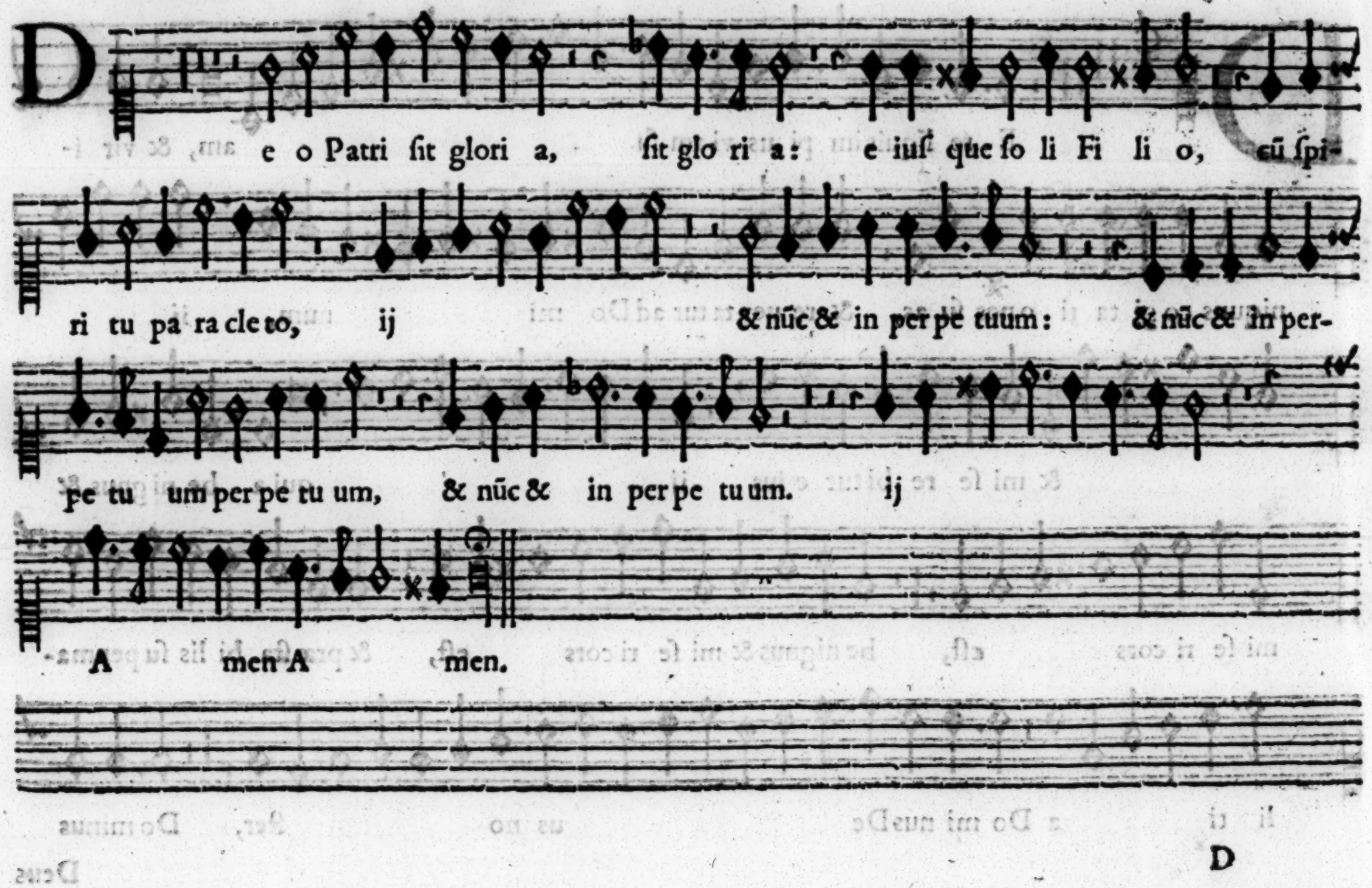

Do mi nus vir tu tum ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ, Do minus vir tu tum ip ſe
eſt rex glo ri æ, Do minus vir tu tũ ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ: Glo ri a pa tri & fi li o,
& ſpi ri tu i ſan cto, ij Si cut e rat in prin-
ci pi o, & nũc & ſem & in ſe cu la
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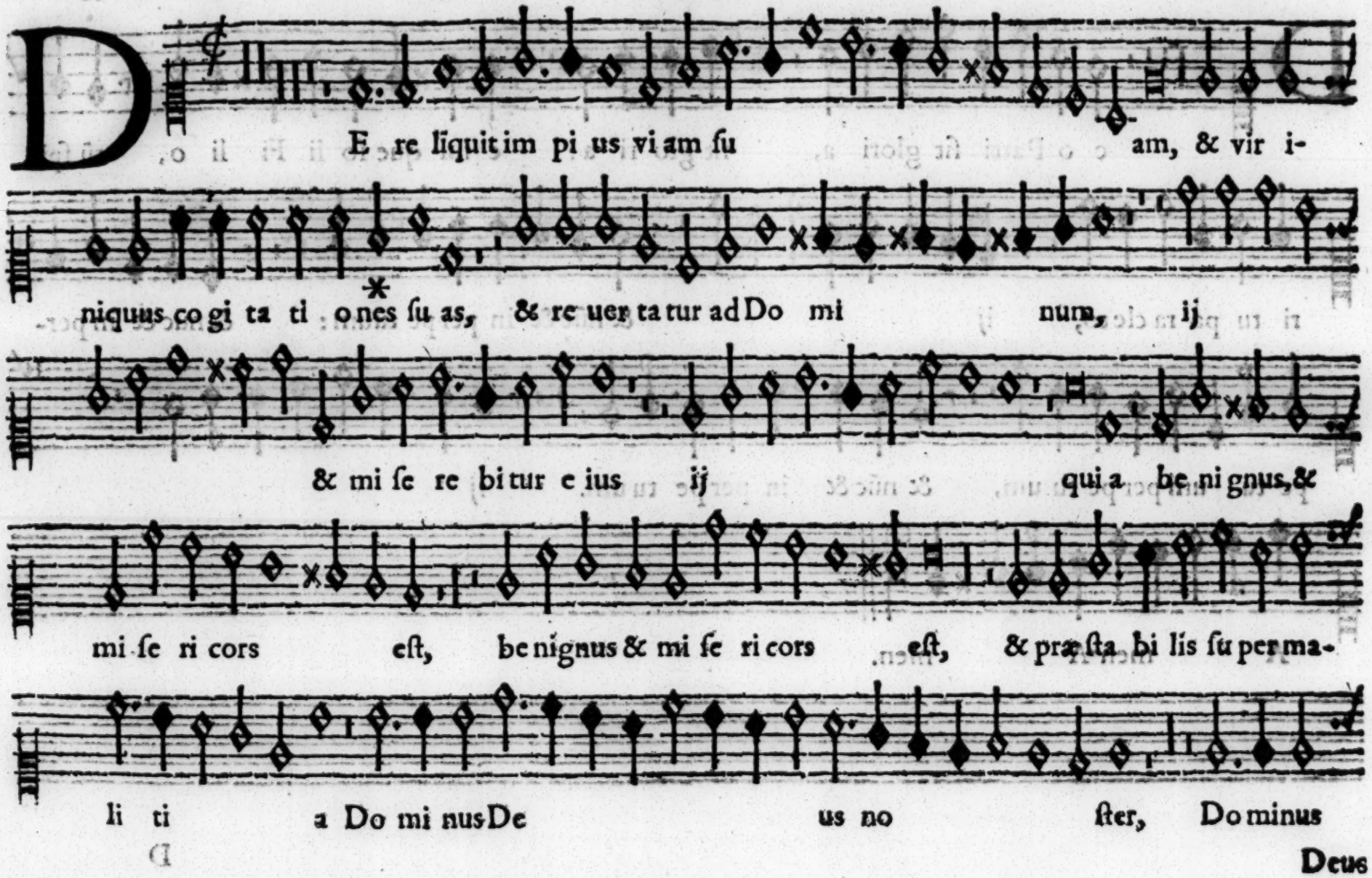
O Lux be a ta tri ni tas, & princi pa lis u ni tas, iam sol re ce dit ig ne us
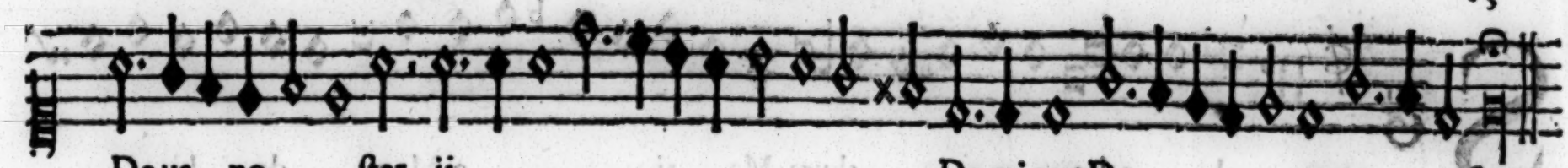
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Te mane laudũ car mine te de precemur ve spe ri, te no stra supplex glo ri-

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D
e o Patri sit glori a, sit glo ri a: e iuſ que ſo li Fi li o, cũ ſpi-
ri tu pa ra cle to, ij & nũc & in per pe tuum: & nũc & in per-
pe tu um per pe tu um, & nũc & in per pe tu um. ij
A men A men.
D


De re liquit im pi us vi am su am, & vir i-
niquus co gi ta ti o nes su as, & re uer ta tur ad Do mi num, ij
& mi se re bi tur e ius ij qui a be ni gnus, &
mi se ri cors est, be nignus & mi se ri cors est, & præsta bi lis su per ma-
li ti a Do mi nus De us no ster, Do minus


De us no ſter ij
Do mi nus De us no ſter.

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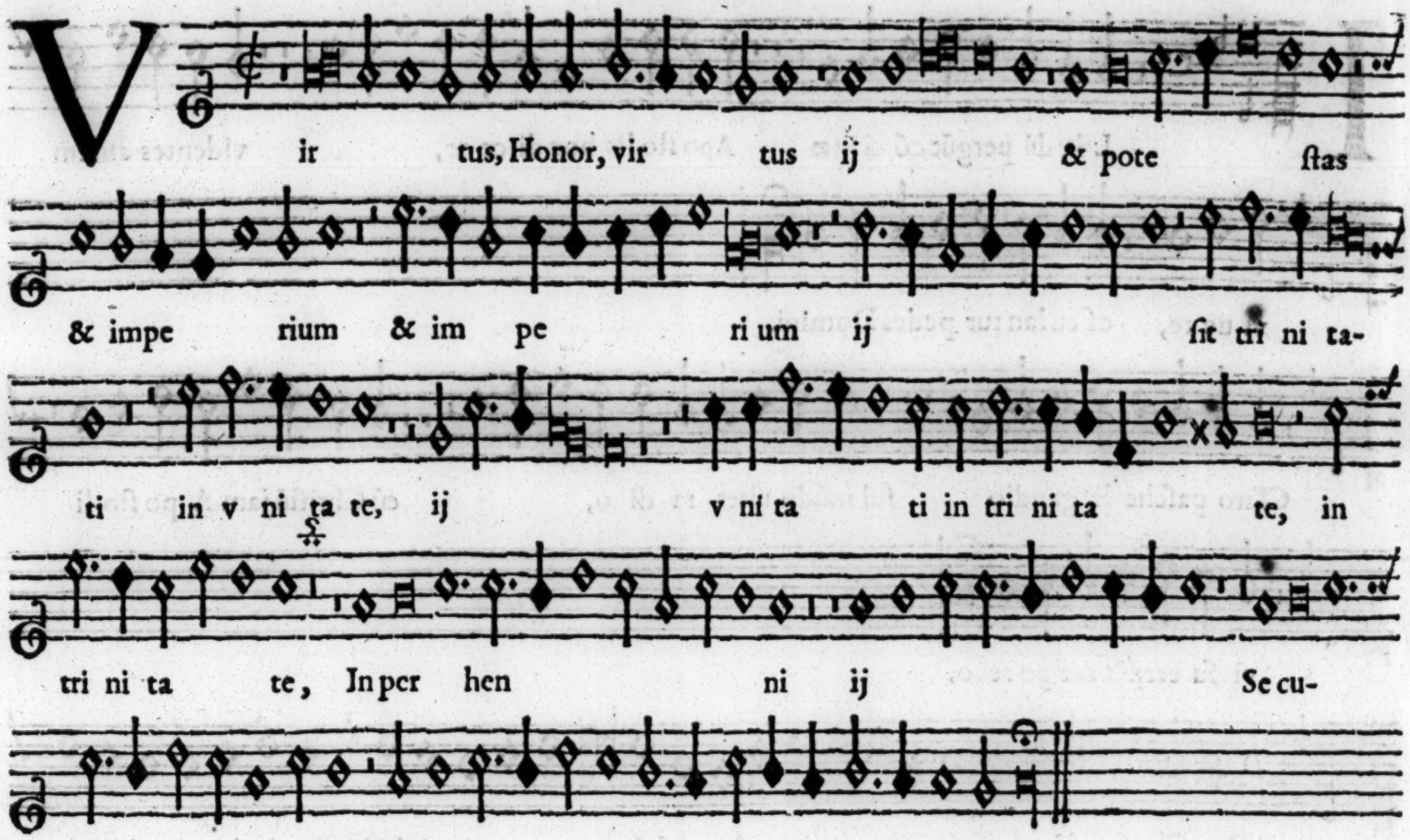
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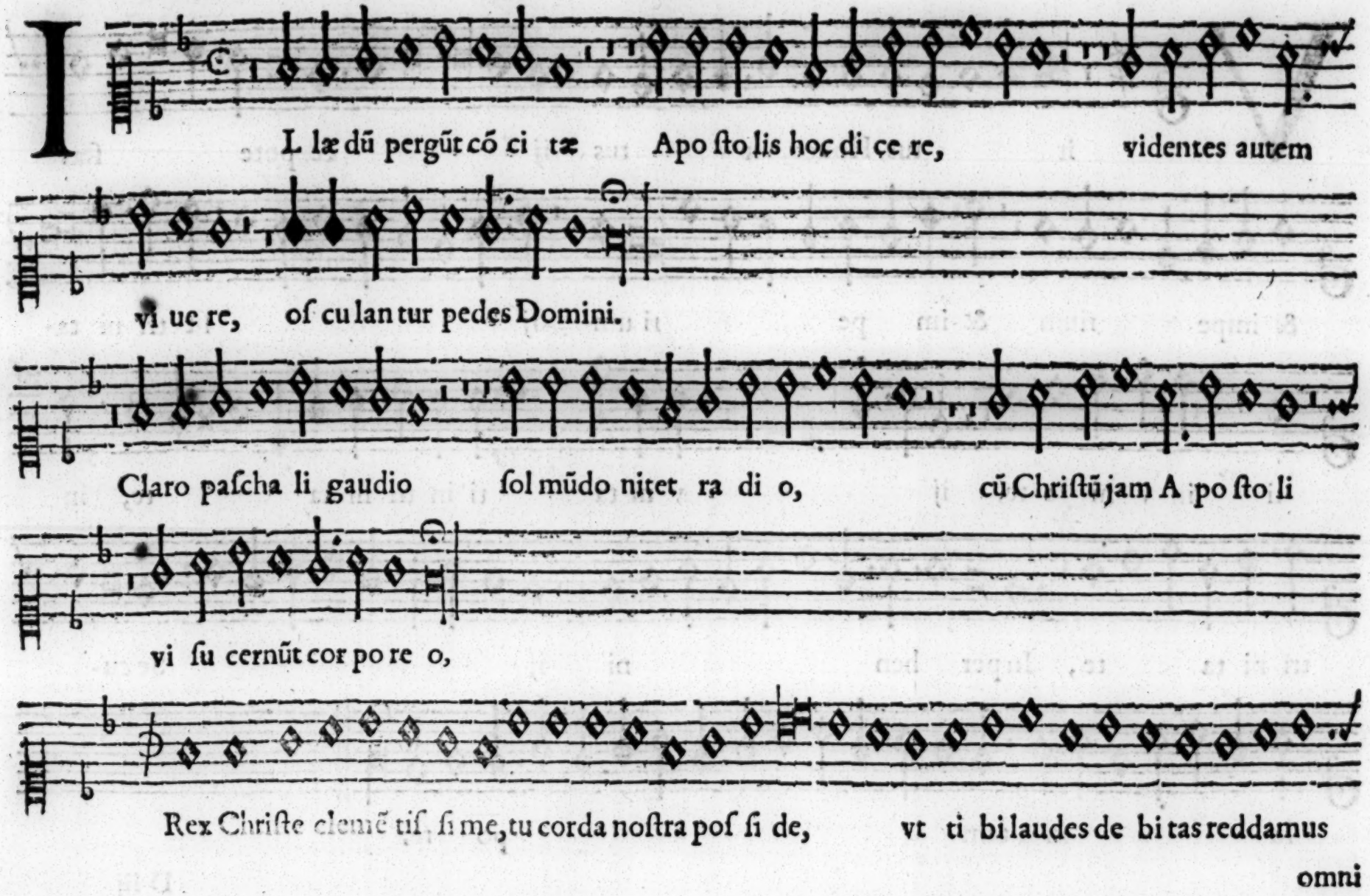
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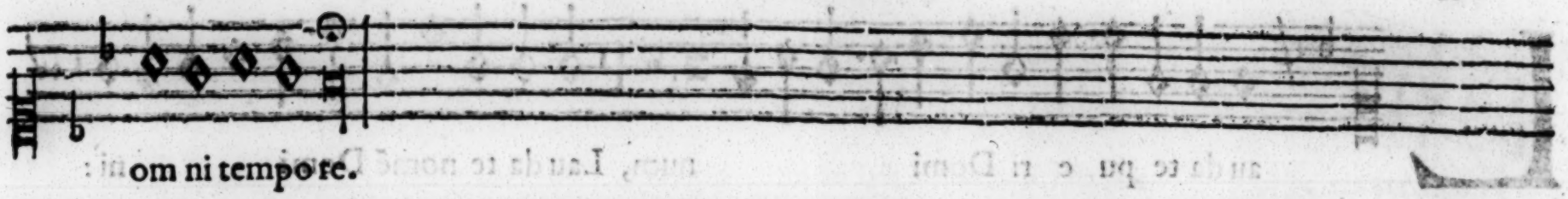
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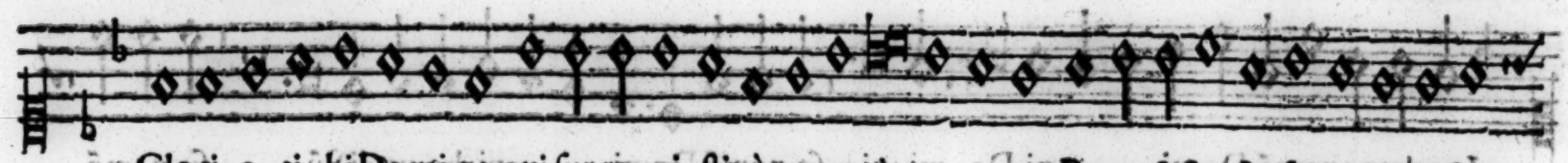
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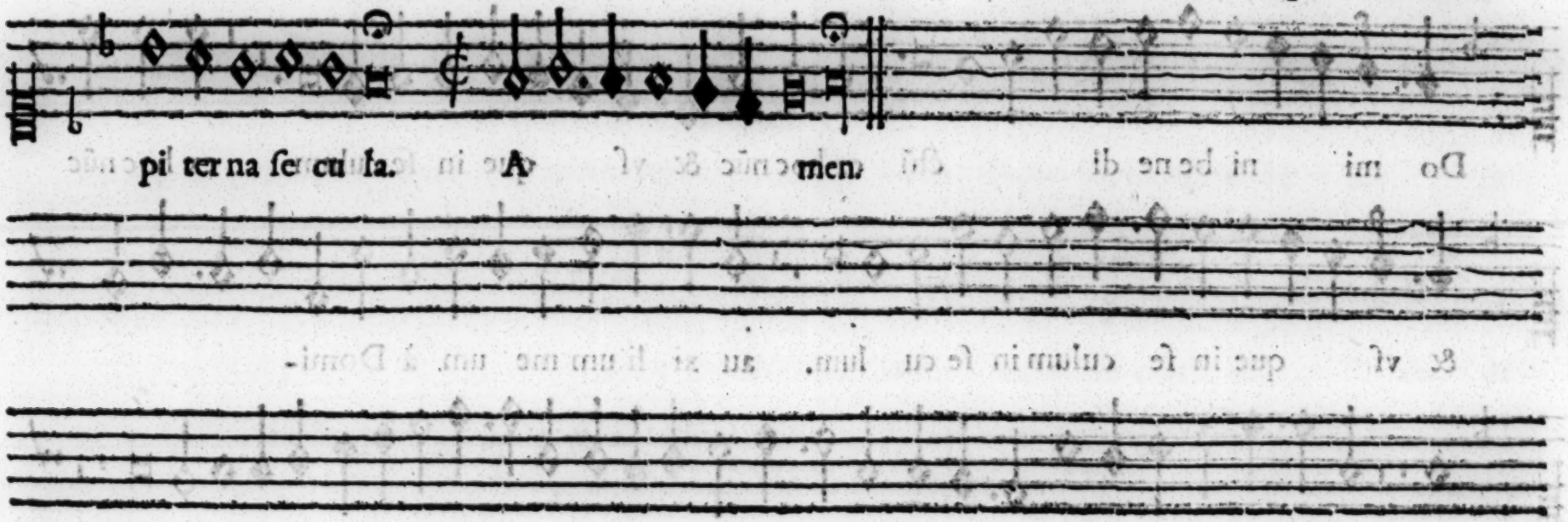
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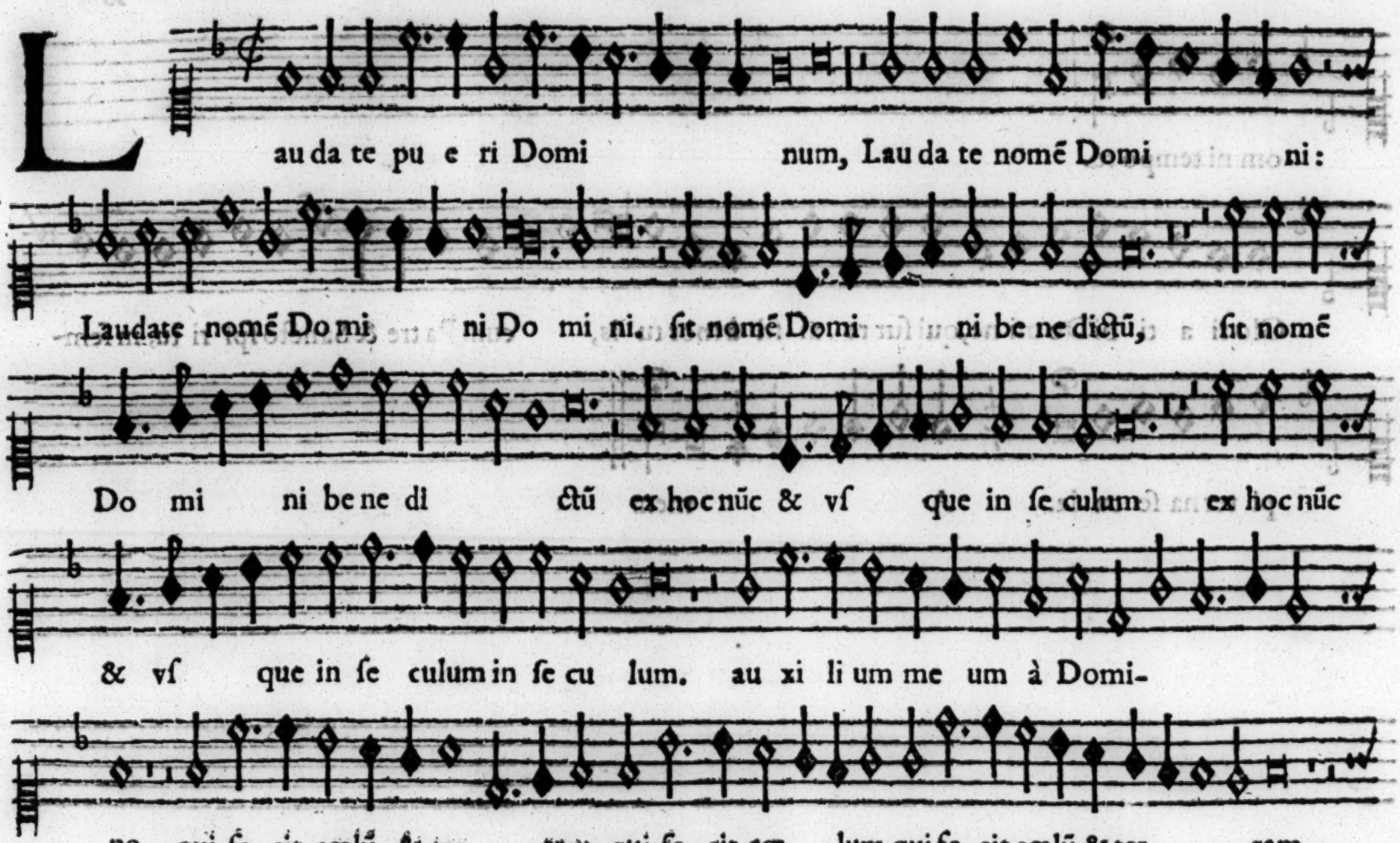

Vir tus, Honor, vir tus ij & pote ſtas
& impe rium & im pe ri um ij ſit tri ni ta-
ti in v ni ta te, ij v ni ta ti in tri ni ta te, in
tri ni ta te, In per hen ni ij Se cu-
lo rum tem po re.


Illæ dũ pergũt cõ ci tæ Apo ſto lis hoc di ce re, videntes autem
vi ue re, of cu lan tur pedes Domini.
Claro paſcha li gaudio ſol mũdo nitet ra di o, cũ Chriſtũ jam A po ſto li
vi ſu cernũt cor po re o,
Rex Chriſte clemẽ tiſ ſi me, tu corda noſtra poſ ſi de, vt ti bi laudes de bi tas reddamus
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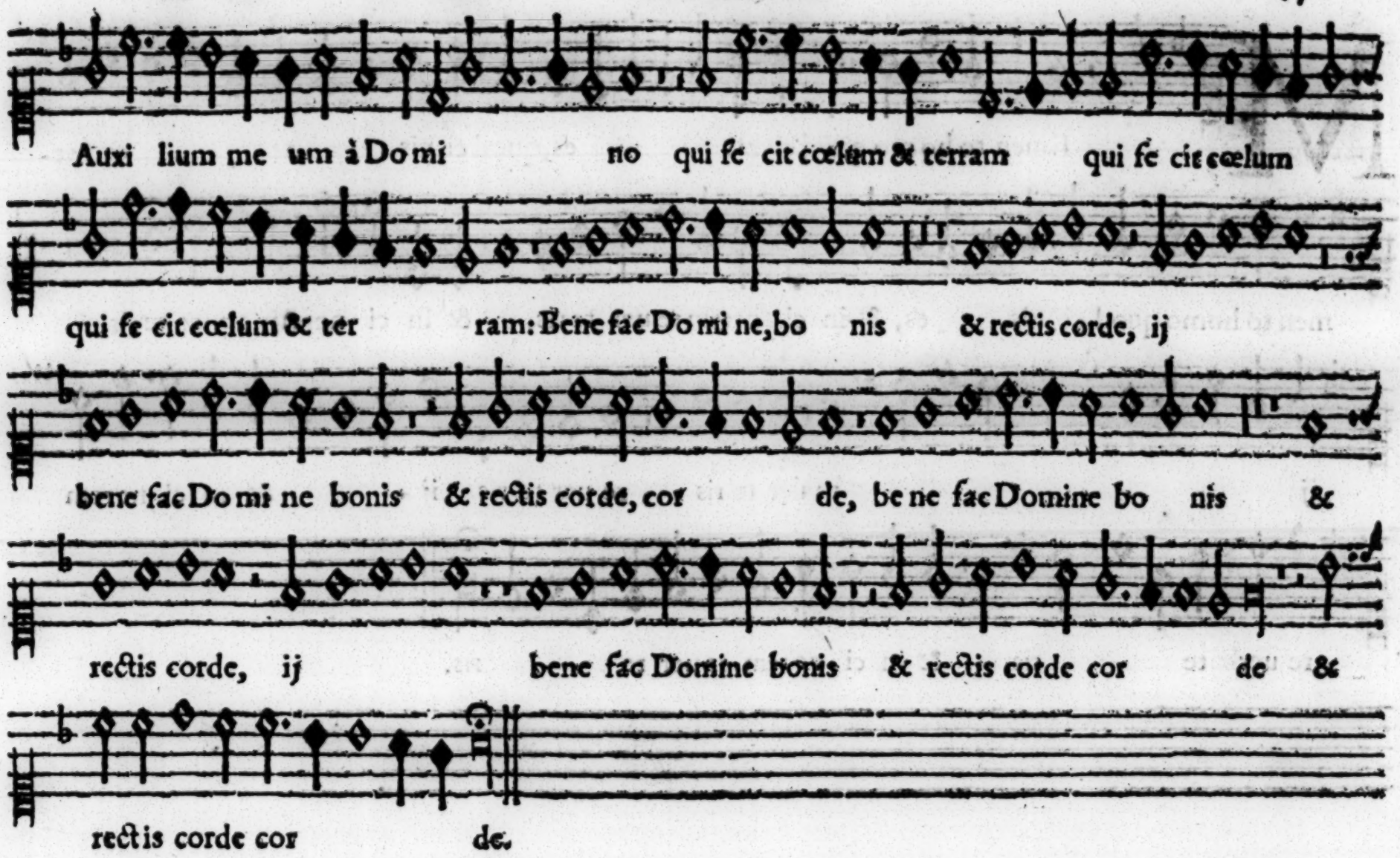

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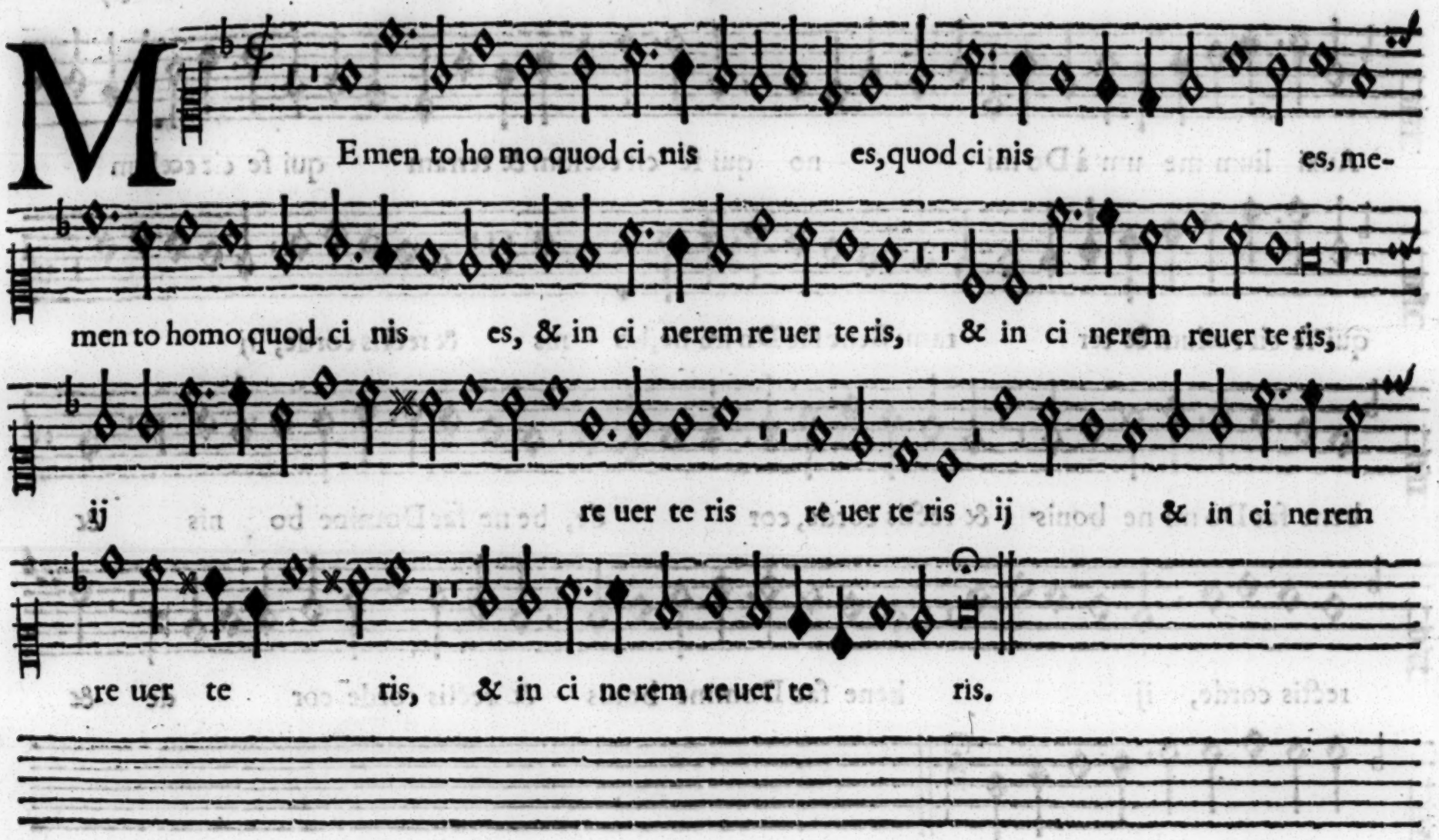

Glo ri a ti bi Do mi ne, qui sur re xi sti à mor tu is, cum Pa tre & Sancto spi ri tu, in sem-

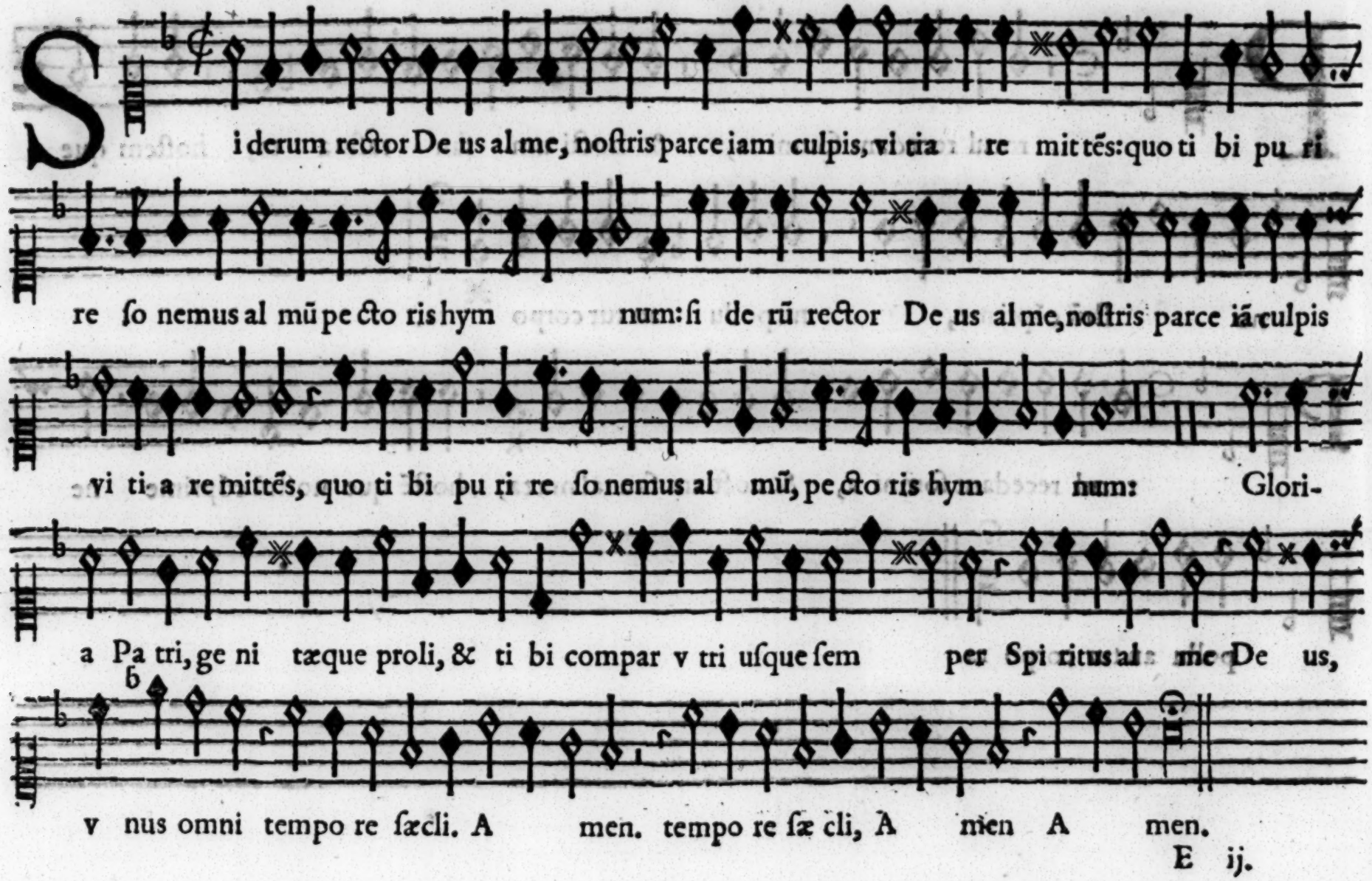

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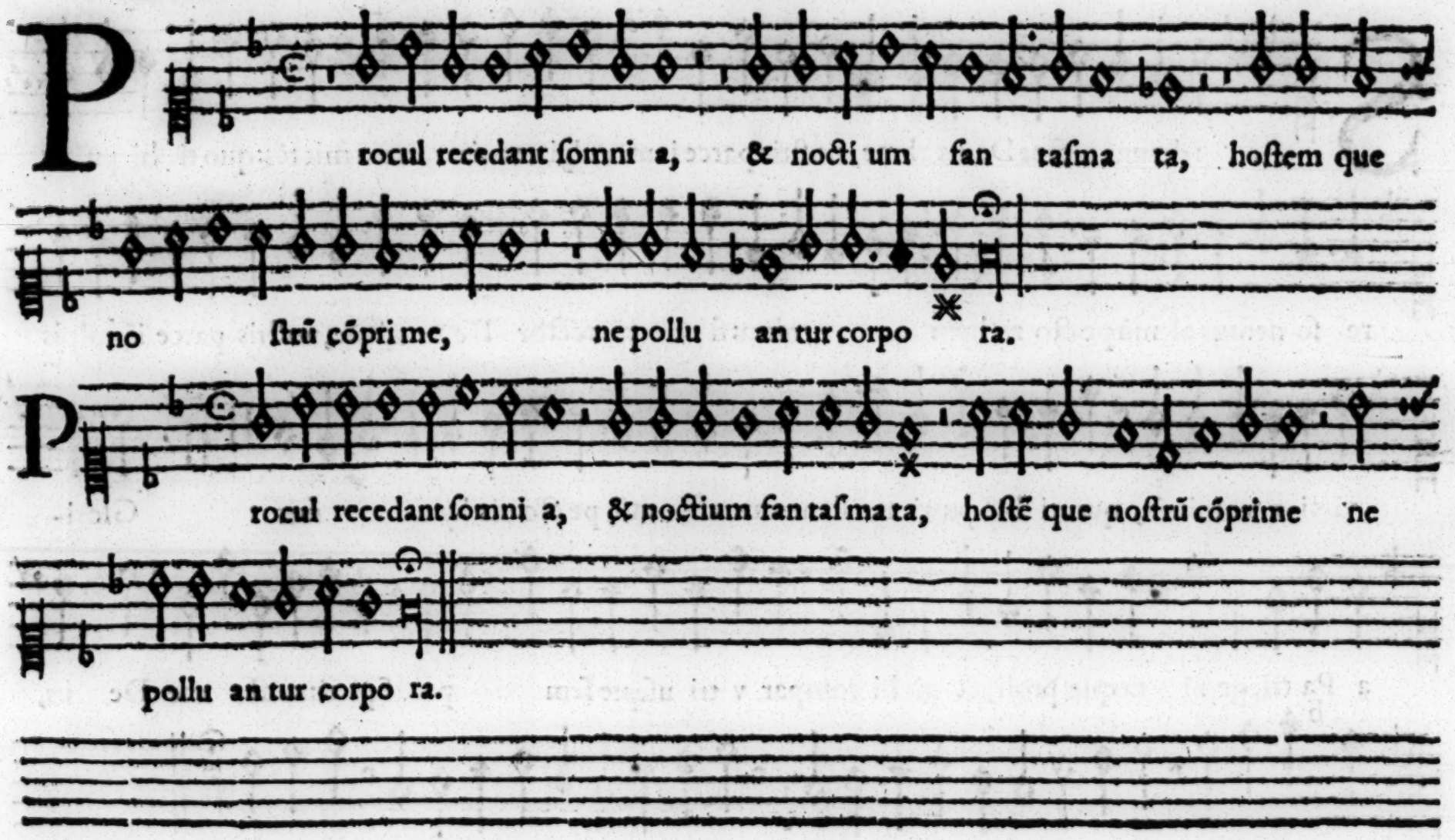

Lau da te pu e ri Domi num, Lau da te nomẽ Domi ni:
Laudate nomẽ Do mi, ni Do mi ni. ſit nomẽ Domi ni be ne dictũ, ſit nomẽ
Do mi ni be ne di ctũ ex hoc nũc & vſ que in ſe culum ex hoc nũc
& vſ que in ſe culum in ſe cu lum. au xi li um me um à Domi-
no, qui fe cit cœlũ & ter ram, qui fe cit cœ lum qui fe cit cœlũ & ter ram,
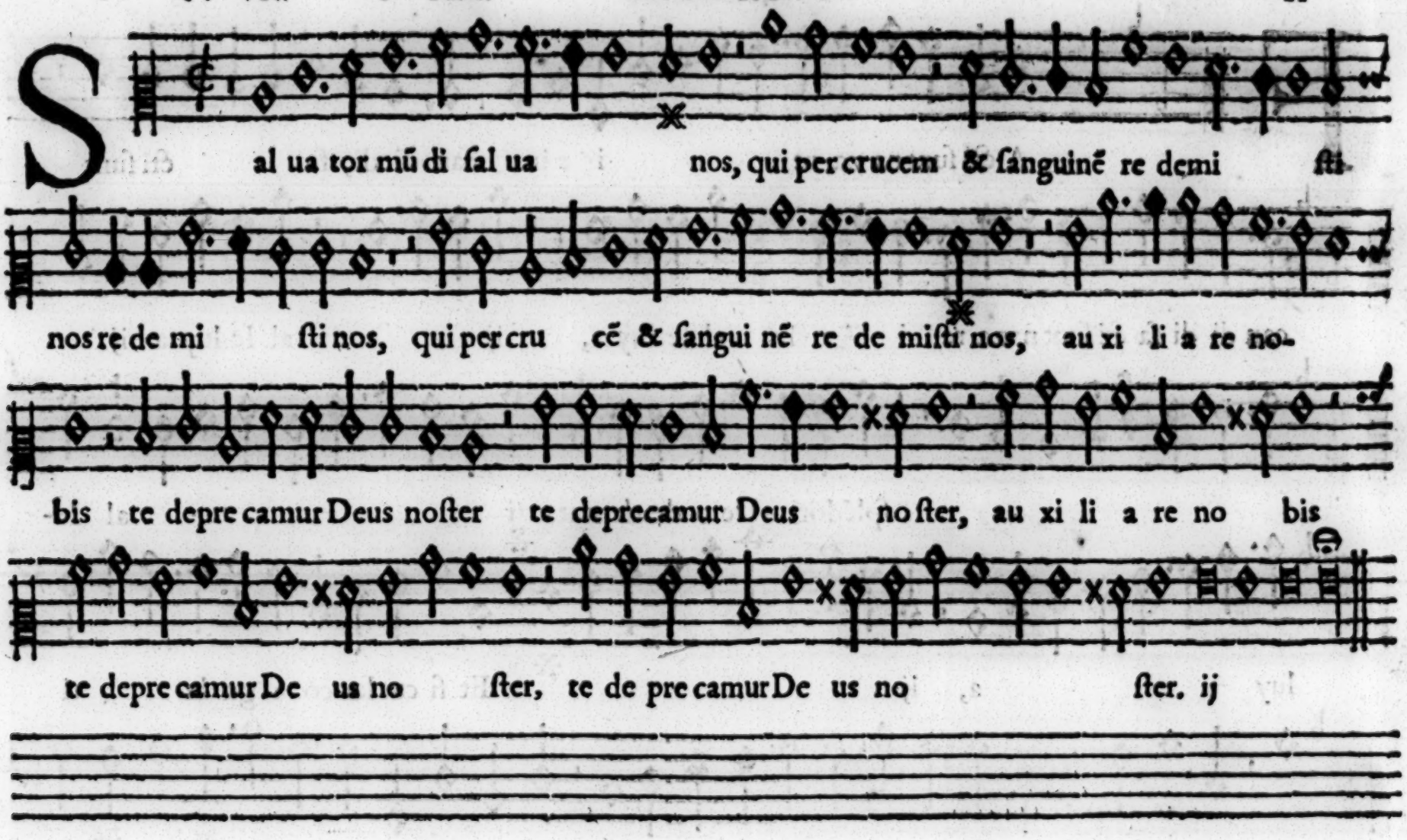
Auxi-


Auxi lium me um à Do mi no qui fe cit cœlum & terram qui fe cit cœlum
qui fe cit cœlum & ter ram: Bene fac Do mi ne, bo nis & rectis corde, ij
bene fac Do mi ne bonis & rectis corde, cor de, be ne fac Domine bo nis &
rectis corde, ij bene fac Domine bonis & rectis corde cor de &
rectis corde cor de.


Memento homo quod cinis es, quod cinis es, me-
mento homo quod cinis es, & in cinerem reuertteris, & in cinerem reuertteris,
ij reuertteris reuertteris ij & in cinerem
reuertte ris, & in cinerem reuertteris.


Si derum rector De us al me, noſtris parce iam culpis, vi tia re mittẽs: quo ti bi pu ri
re ſo nemus al mũ pe cto ris hym num: ſi de rũ rector De us al me, noſtris parce iã culpis
vi ti a re mittẽs, quo ti bi pu ri re ſo nemus al mũ, pe cto ris hym num: Glori-
a Pa tri, ge ni tæque proli, & ti bi compar v tri uſque ſem per Spi ritus al me De us,
v nus omni tempo re ſæcli. A men. tempo re ſæ cli, A men A men.


Procul recedant somni a, & noctiu um fan tasma ta, hostem que
no strũ cõpri me, ne pollu an tur corpo ra.
Procul recedant somni a, & noctium fan tasma ta, hostẽ que nostrũ cõprime ne
pollu an tur corpo ra.


Sal ua tor mũ di ſal ua nos, qui per crucem & ſanguinẽ re demi ſti
nos re de mi ſti nos, qui per cru cẽ & ſangui nẽ re de miſti nos, au xi li a re no
bis te depre camur Deus noſter te deprecamur Deus noſter, au xi li a re no bis
te depre camur De us no ſter, te de pre camur De us no ſter. ij

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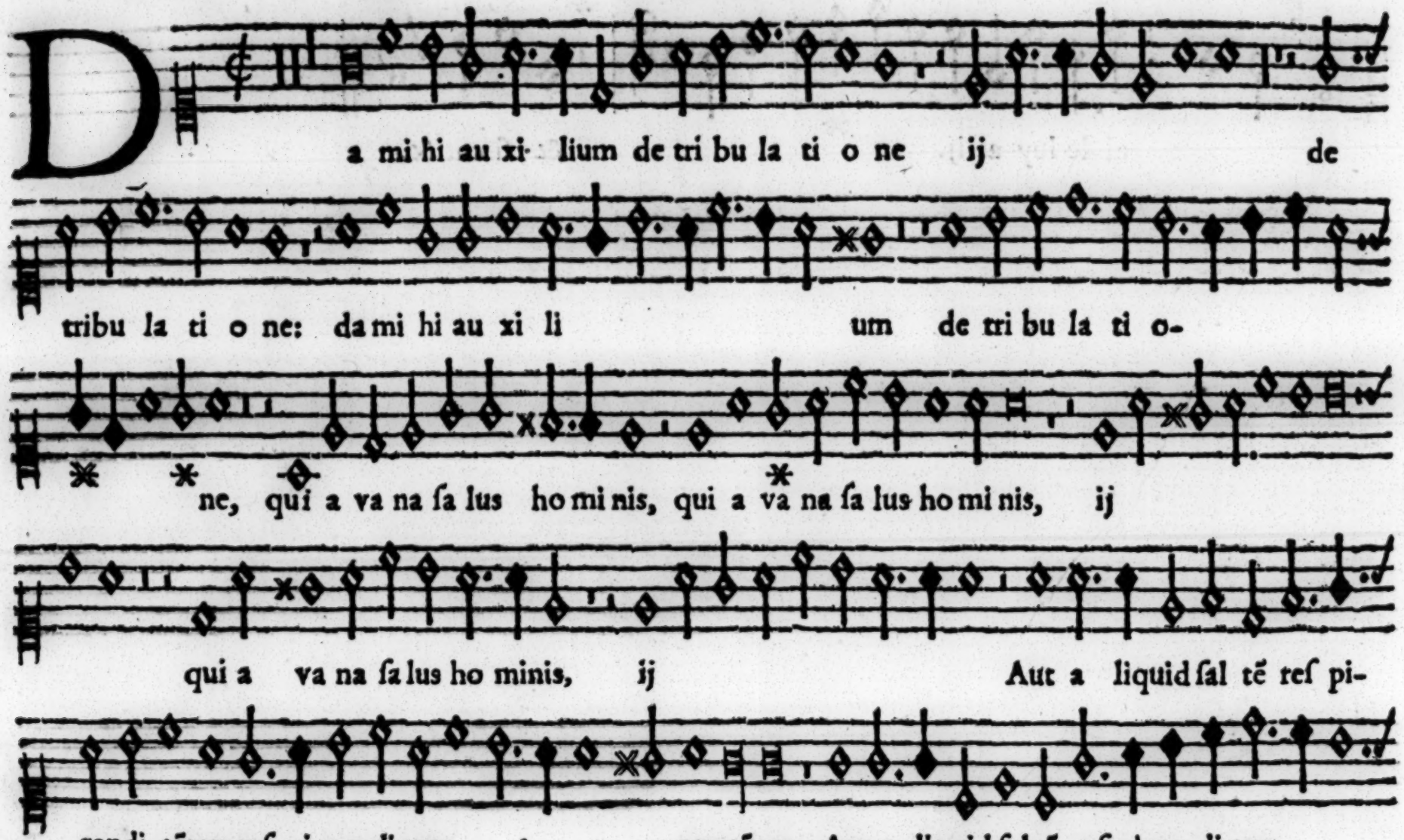
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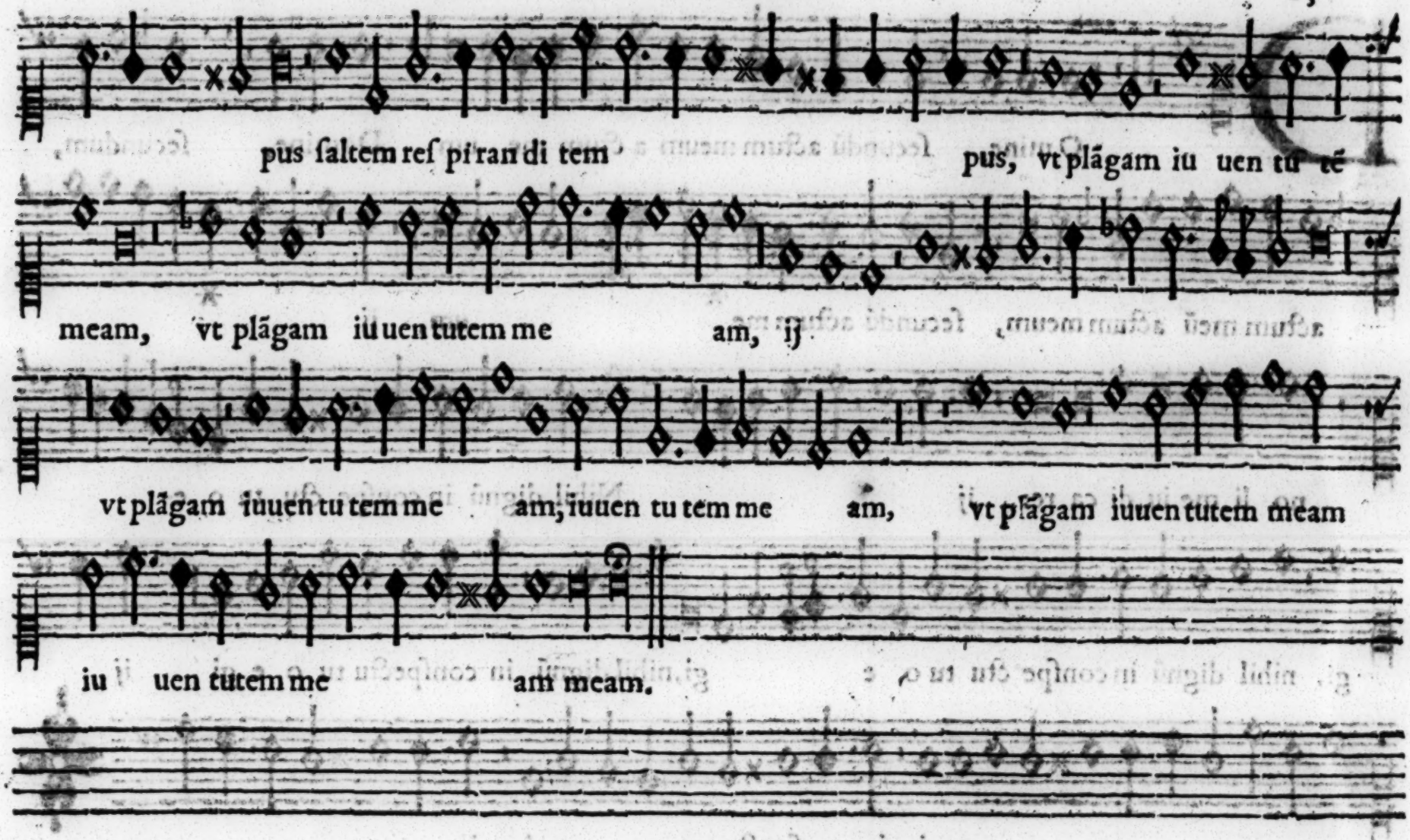
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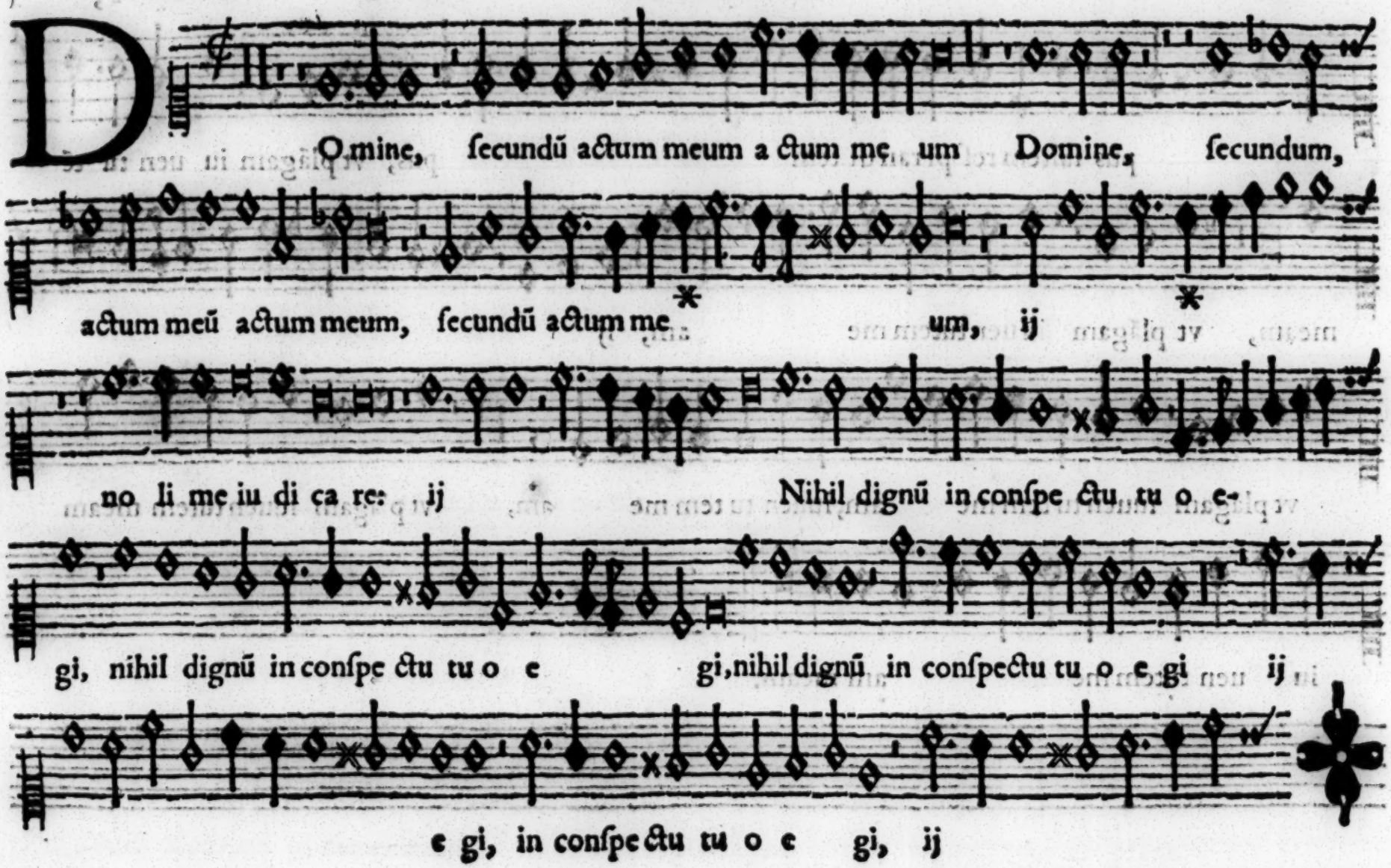
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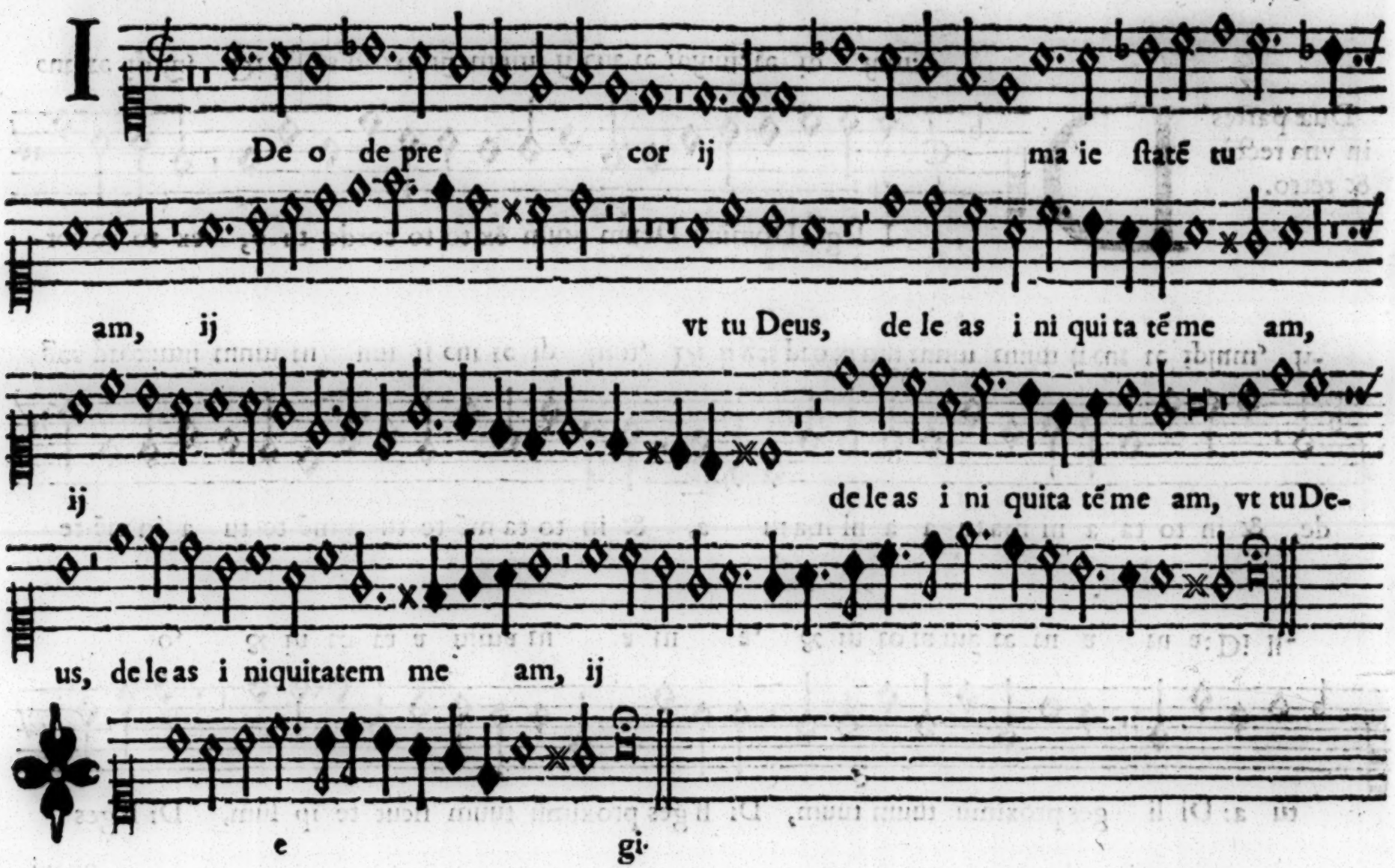

al le luy a ij.
& ſi cut &c


Da mi hi au xi lium de tri bu la ti o ne ij de
tribu la ti o ne: da mi hi au xi li um de tri bu la ti o-
ne, qui a va na ſa lus ho mi nis, qui a va na ſa lus ho mi nis, ij
qui a va na ſa lus ho minis, ij Aut a liquid ſal tẽ reſ pi-
randi tẽpus, reſ pi ran di tem pus tẽpus, Aut a liquid ſal tẽ reſ pi ran di tem-

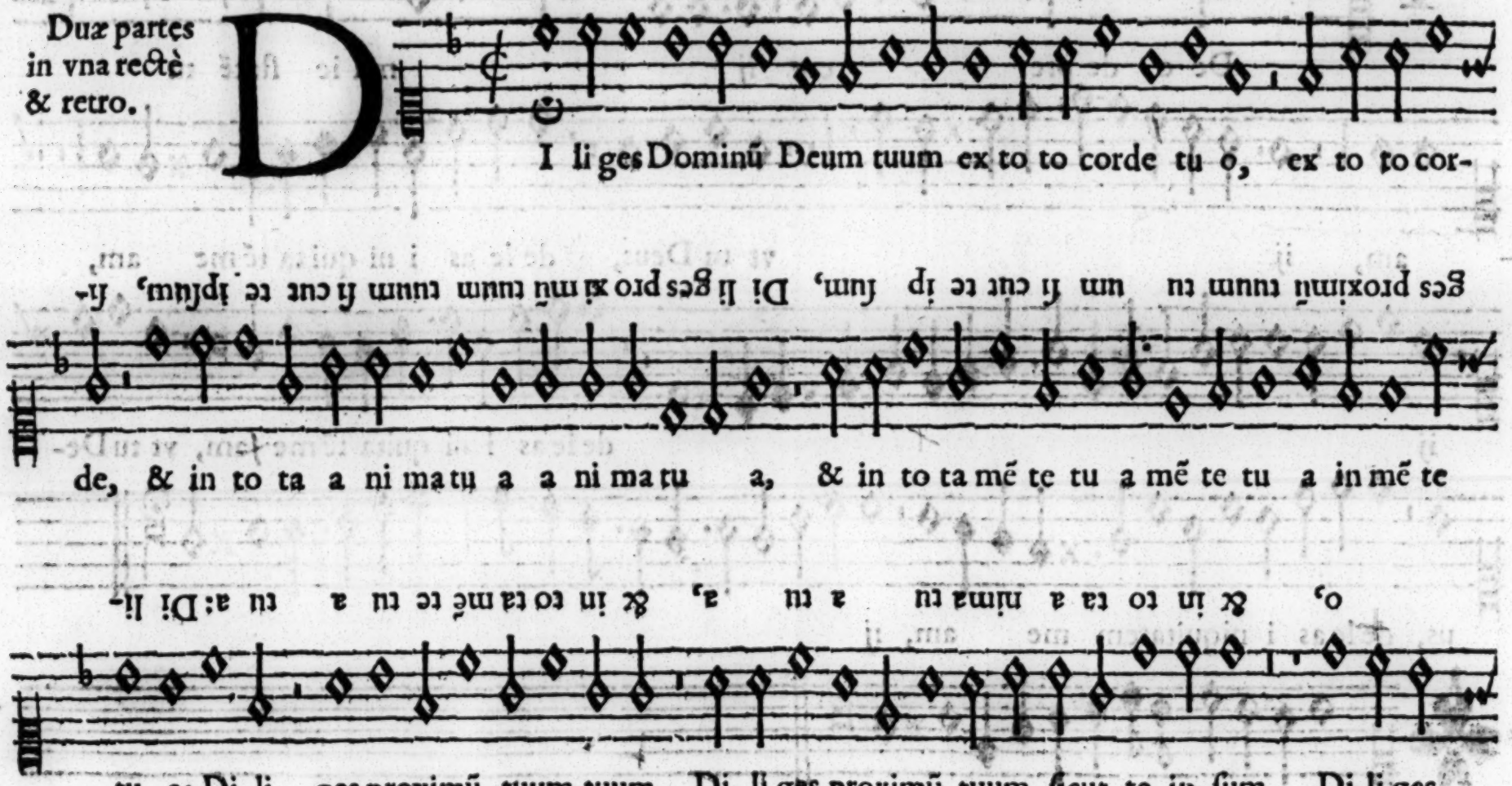
pus


pus ſaltem reſ pi ran di tem pus, vt plãgam iu uen tu tẽ
meam, vt plãgam iu uen tutem me am, ij
vt plãgam iuuen tu tem me am, iuuen tu tem me am, vt plãgam iuuen tutem meam
iu uen tutem me am meam.
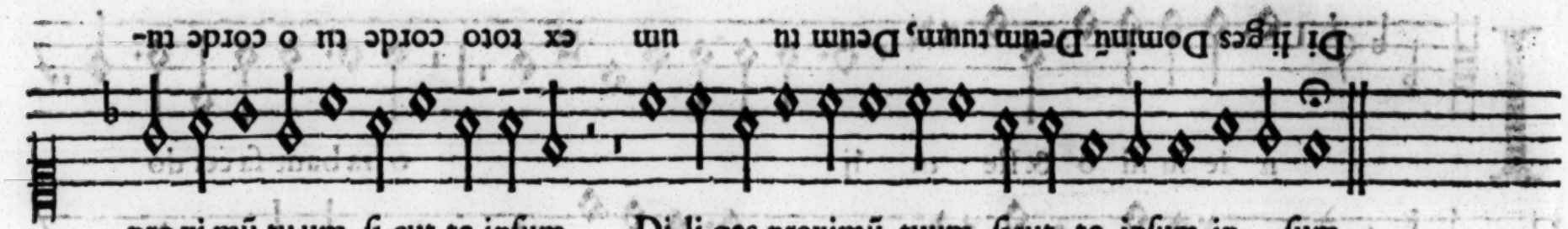

O mine, ſecundũ actum meum a ctum me um Domine, ſecundum,
actum meũ actum meum, ſecundũ actum me um, ij
no li me iu di ca re: ij Nihil dignũ in conſpe ctu tu o e-
gi, nihil dignũ in conſpe ctu tu o e gi,nihil dignũ in conſpectu tu o e gi ij
e gi, in conſpe ctu tu o e gi, ij

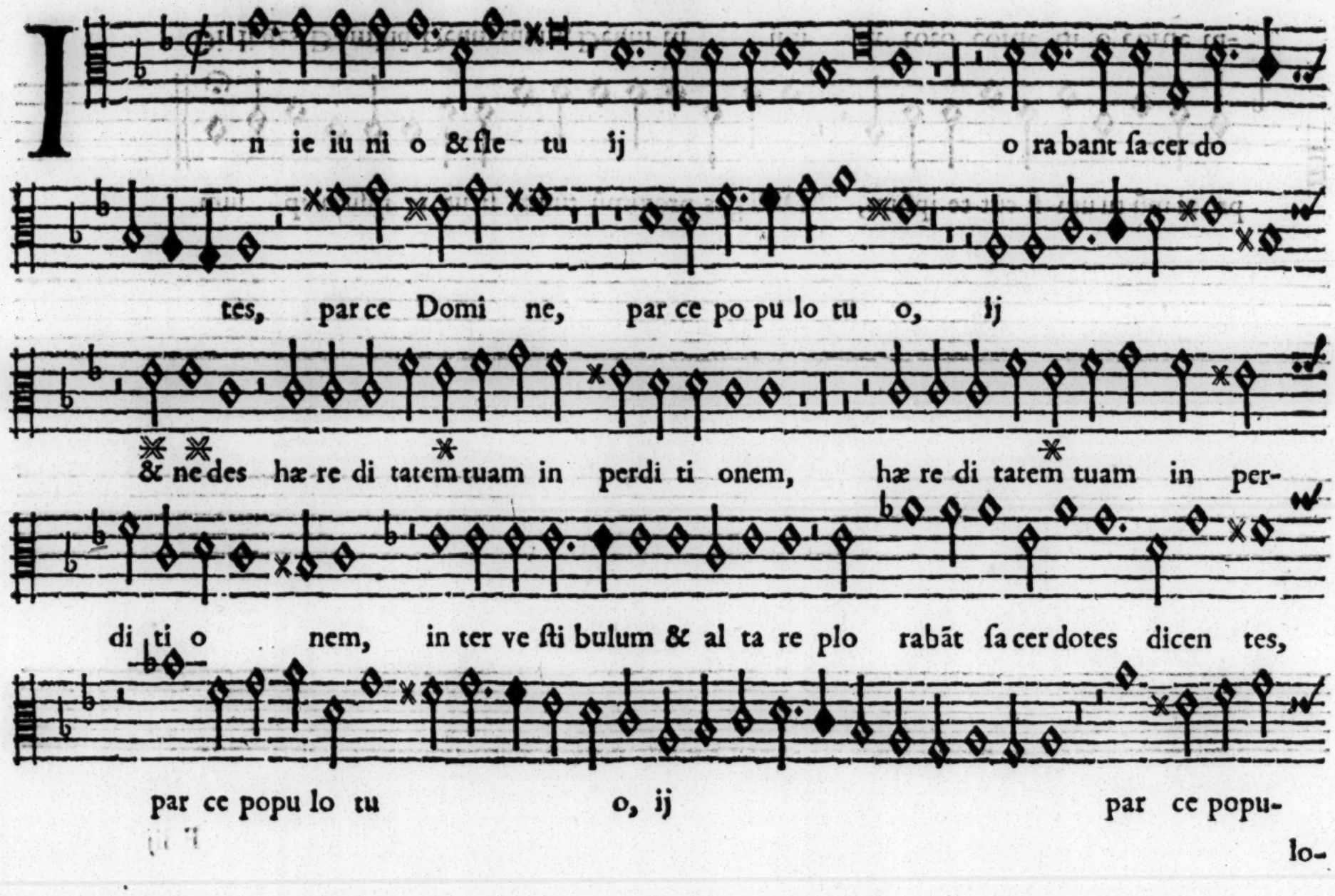

I
De o de pre cor ij ma ie ſtatē tu
am, ij vt tu Deus, de le as i ni qui ta tē me am,
ij de le as i ni quita tē me am, vt tu De-
us, de le as i niquitatem me am, ij
e gi.

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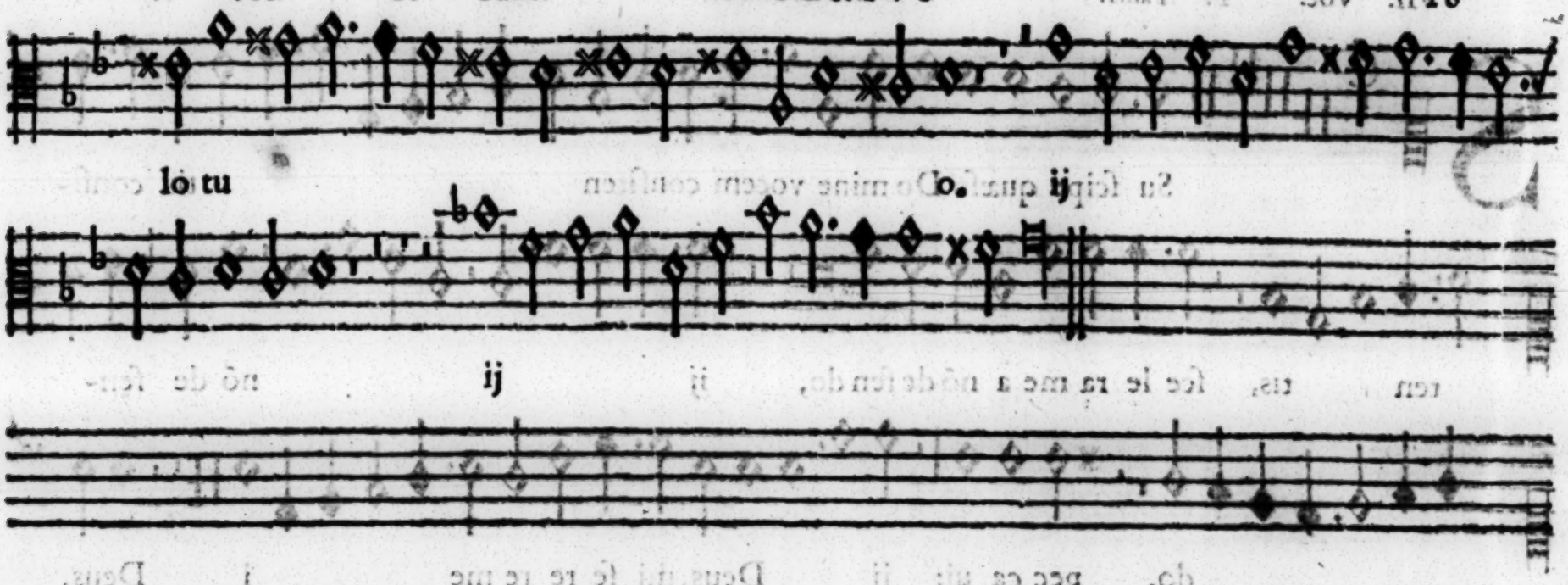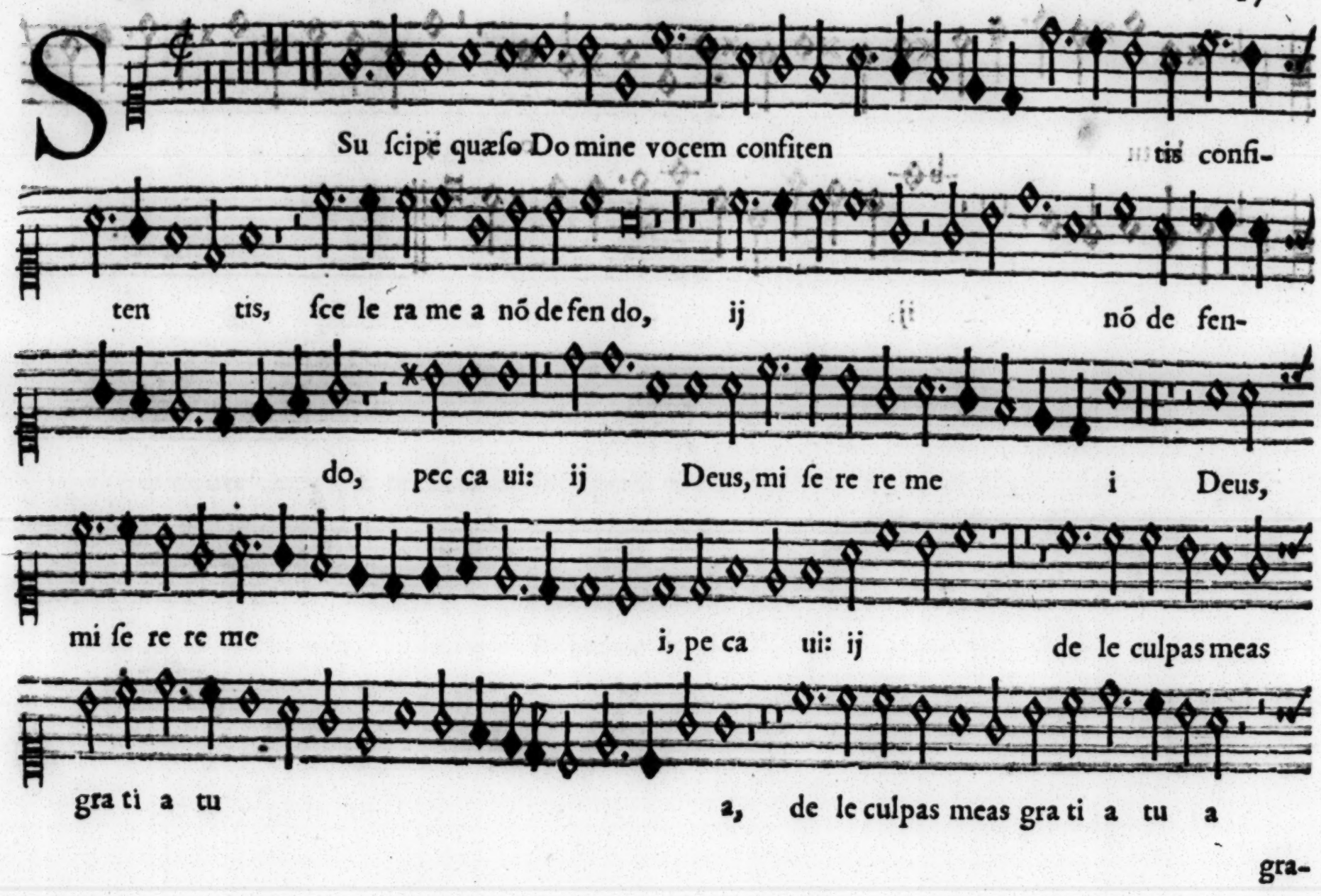



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pro xi mũ tu um ſi cut te ipſum, Di li ges proximũ tuum ſicut te ipſum ip ſum.
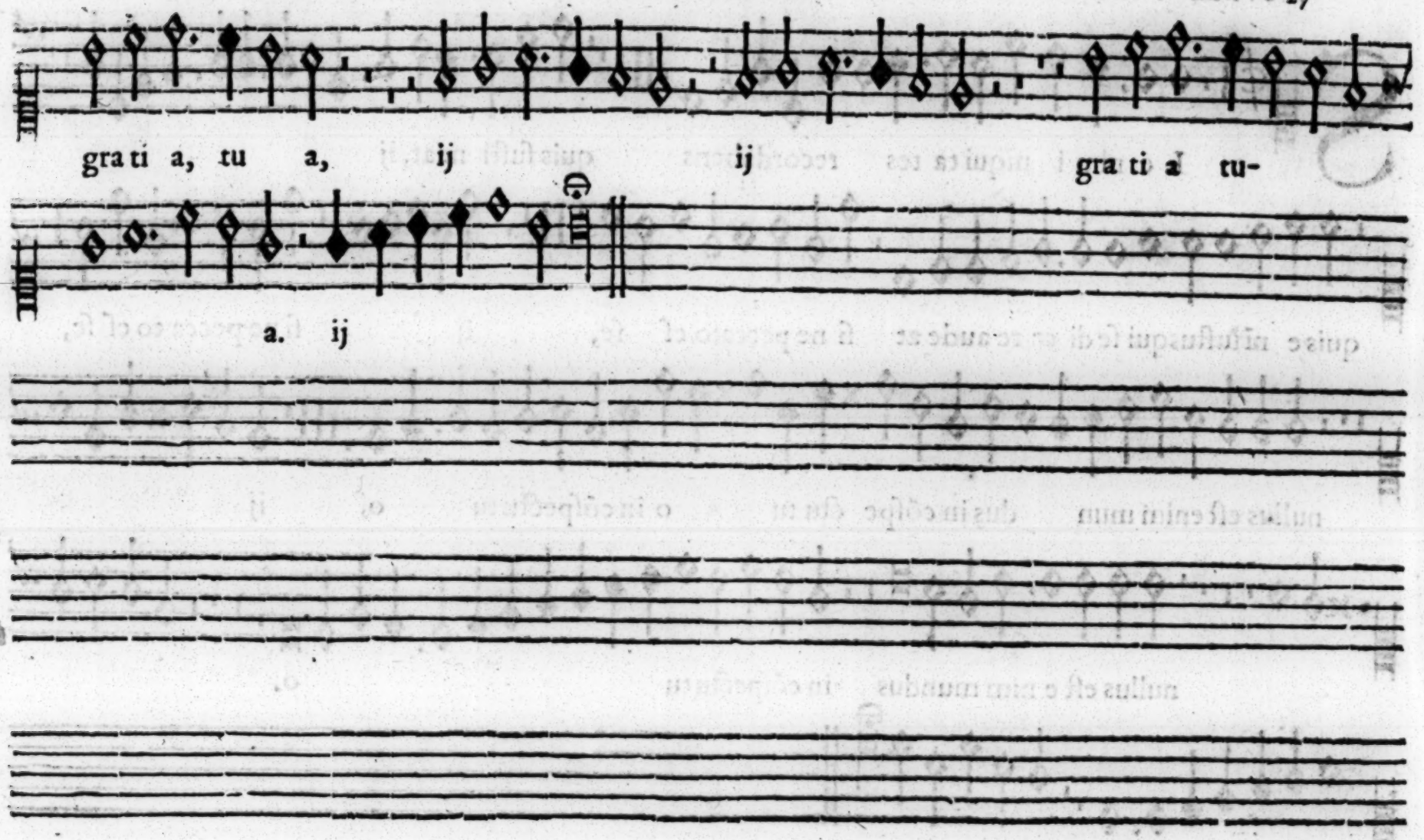

In ie iu ni o & fle tu ij o ra bant ſa cer do
tes, par ce Domi ne, par ce po pu lo tu o, ij
& ne des hæ re di tatem tuam in perdi ti onem, hæ re di tatem tuam in per-
di ti o nem, in ter ve ſti bulum & al ta re plo rabãt ſa cer dotes dicen tes,
par ce popu lo tu o, ij par ce popu-
lo-
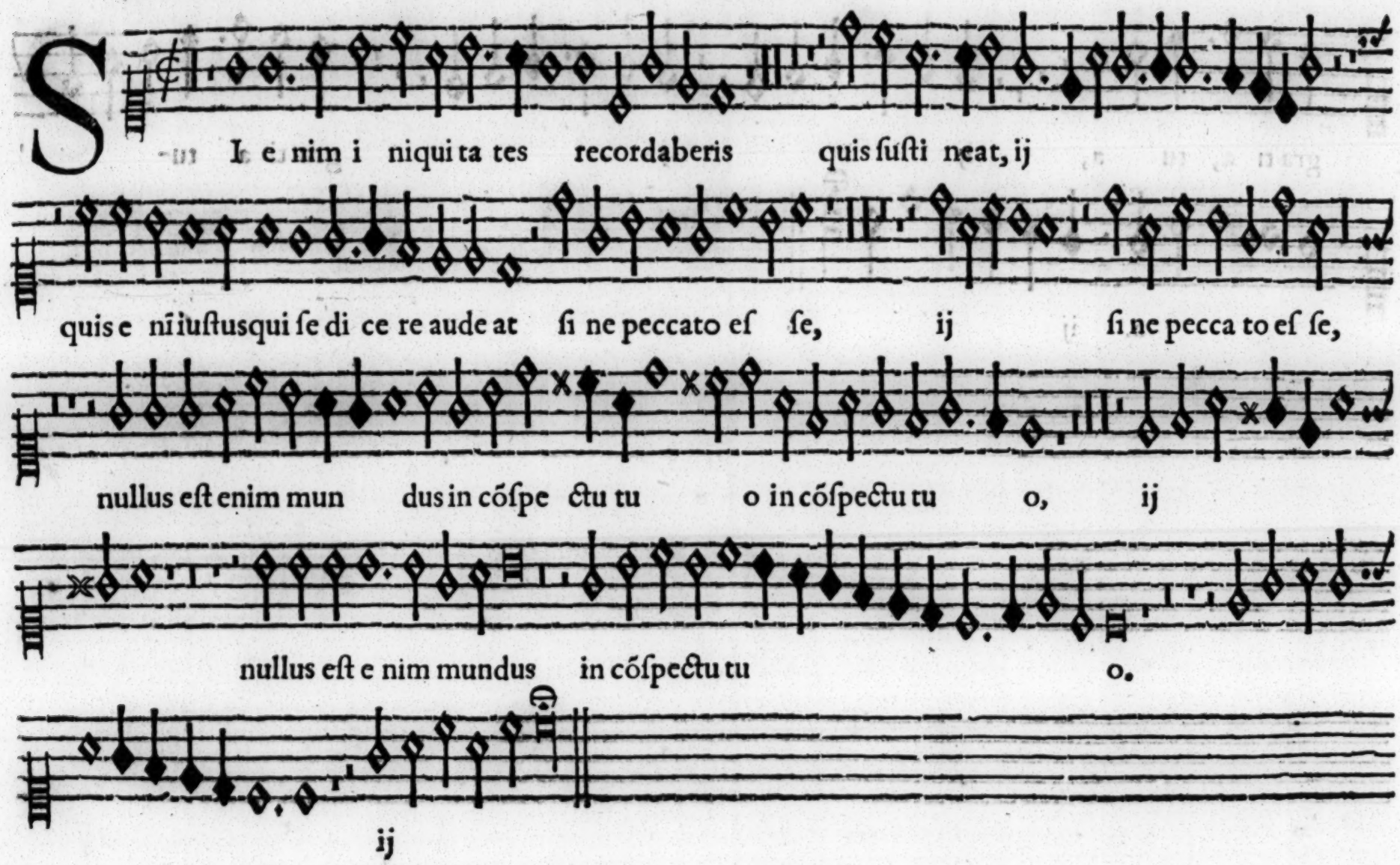
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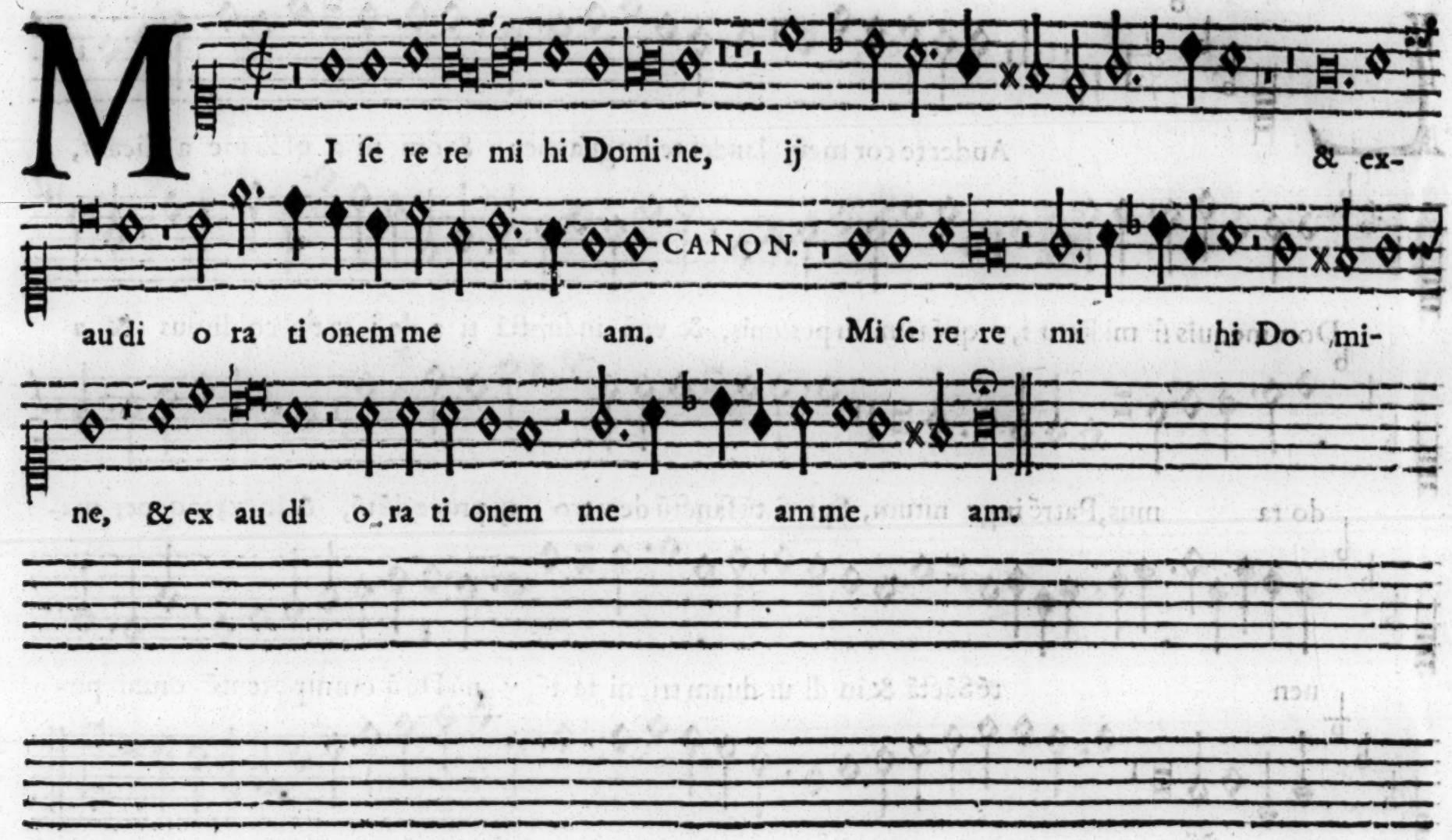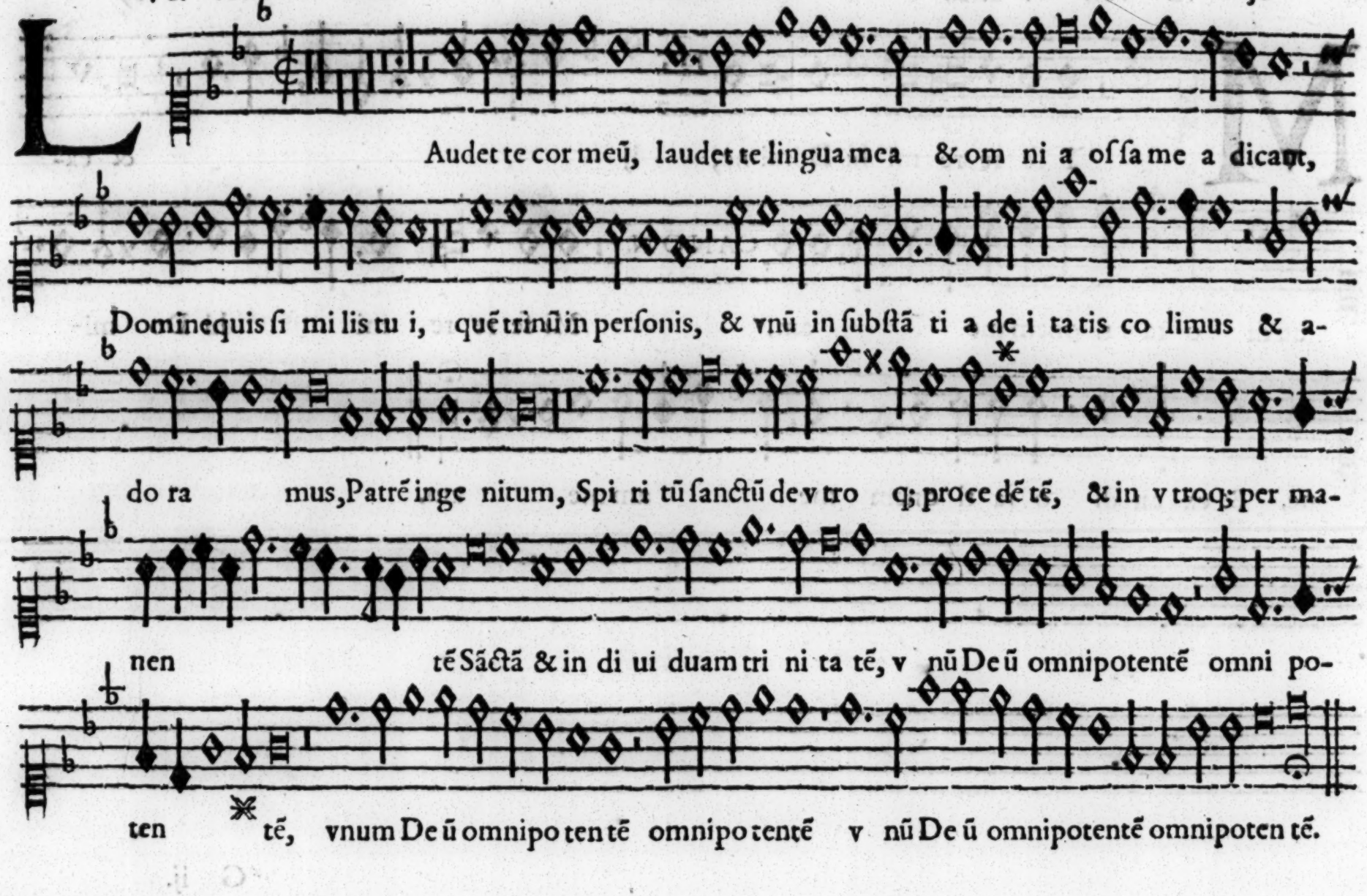



Su ſcipe quæſo Do mine vocem confiten tis confi-
ten tis, ſce le ra me a nõ de fen do, ij nõ de fen-
do, pec ca ui: ij Deus, mi ſe re re me i Deus,
mi ſe re re me i, pe ca ui: ij de le culpas meas
gra ti a tu a, de le culpas meas gra ti a tu a
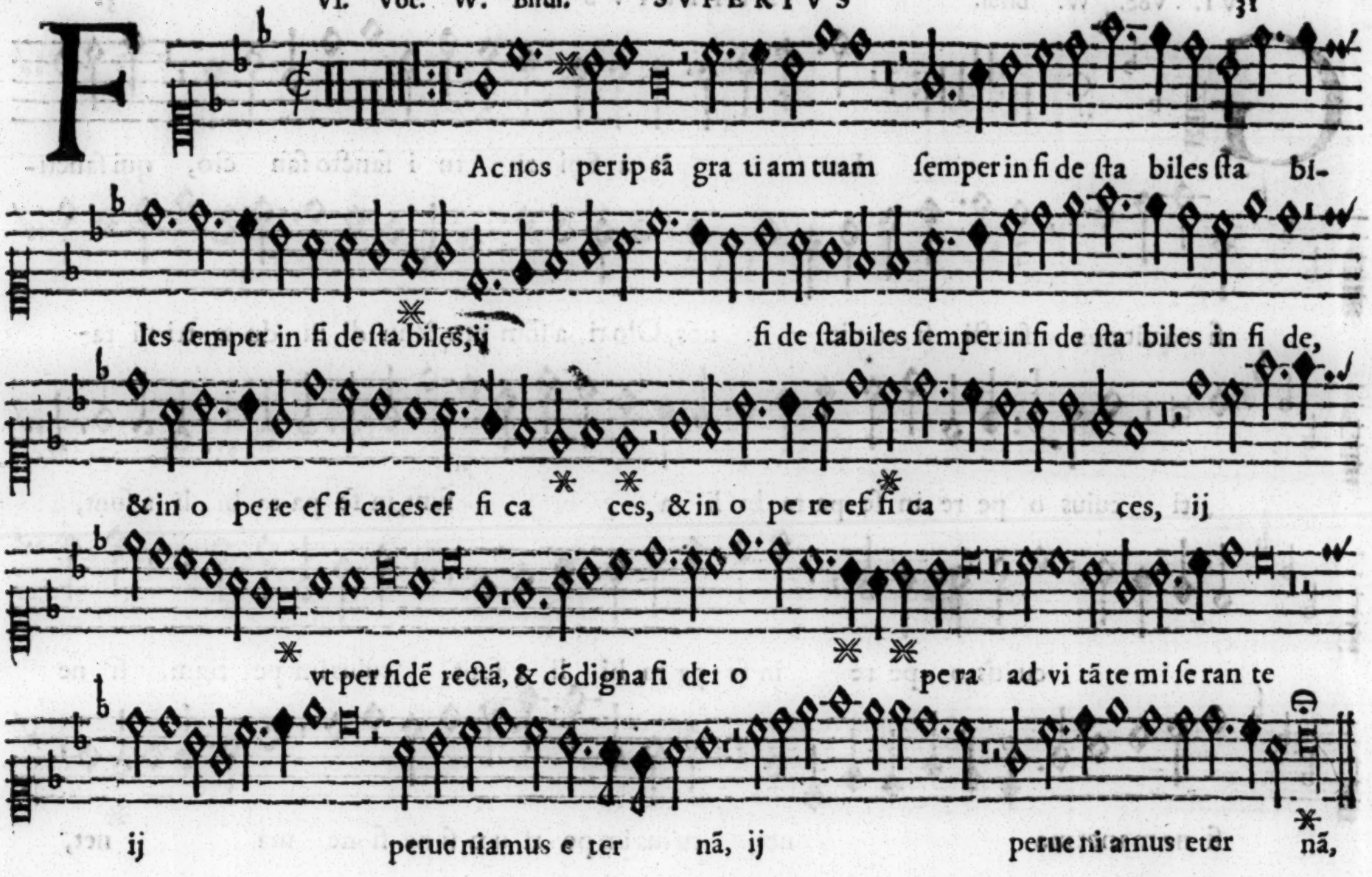
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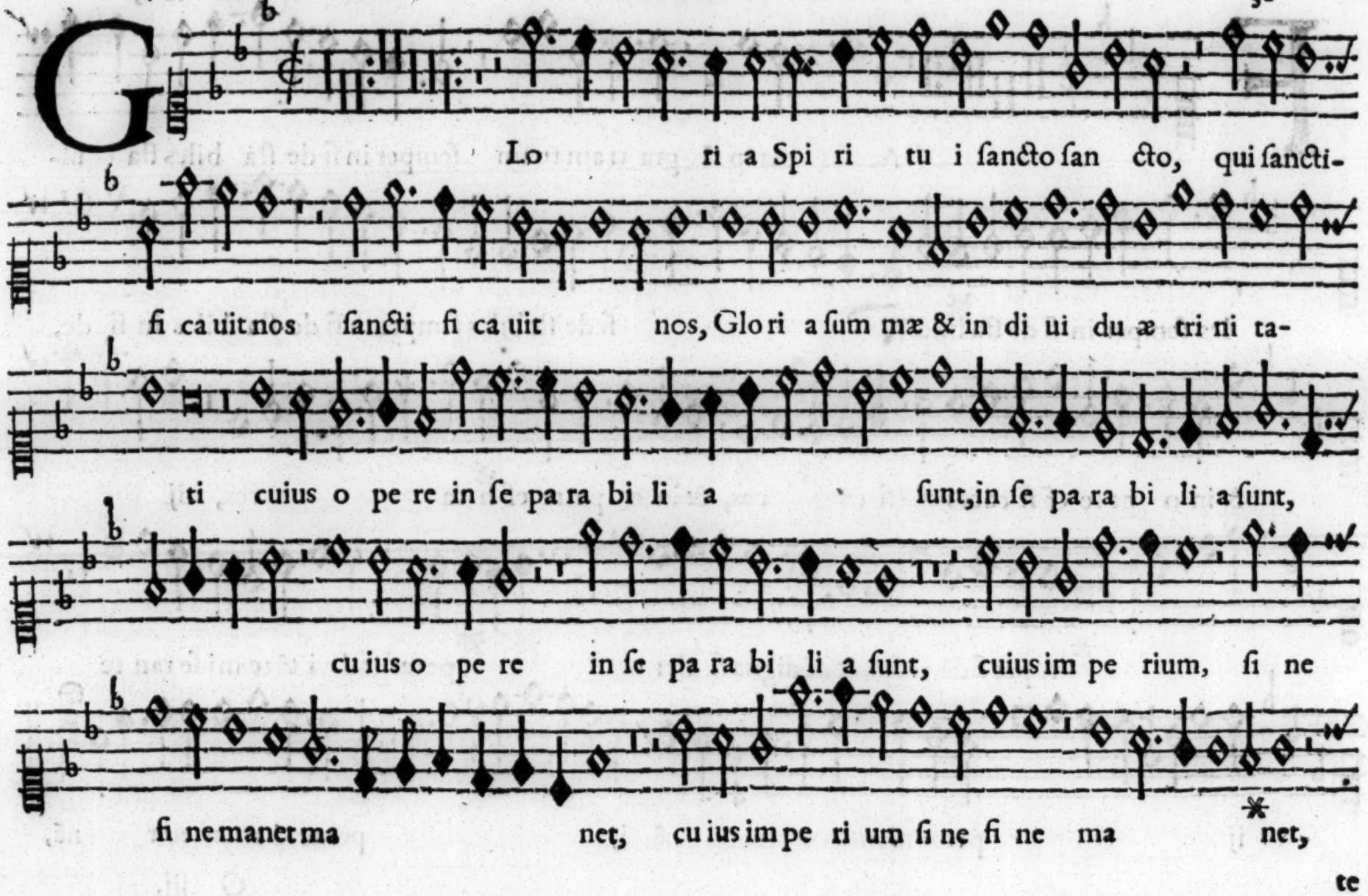

gra ti a, tu a, ij ij gra ti a tu-
a. ij


Si enim iniquitates recordaberis quis ſuſtineat, ij
quis enī iuſtus quiſe dicere audeat ſine peccato eſſe, ij ſine peccato eſſe,
nullus eſt enim mundus in cōſpectu tu o in cōſpectu tu o, ij
nullus eſt enim mundus in cōſpectu tu o.
ij
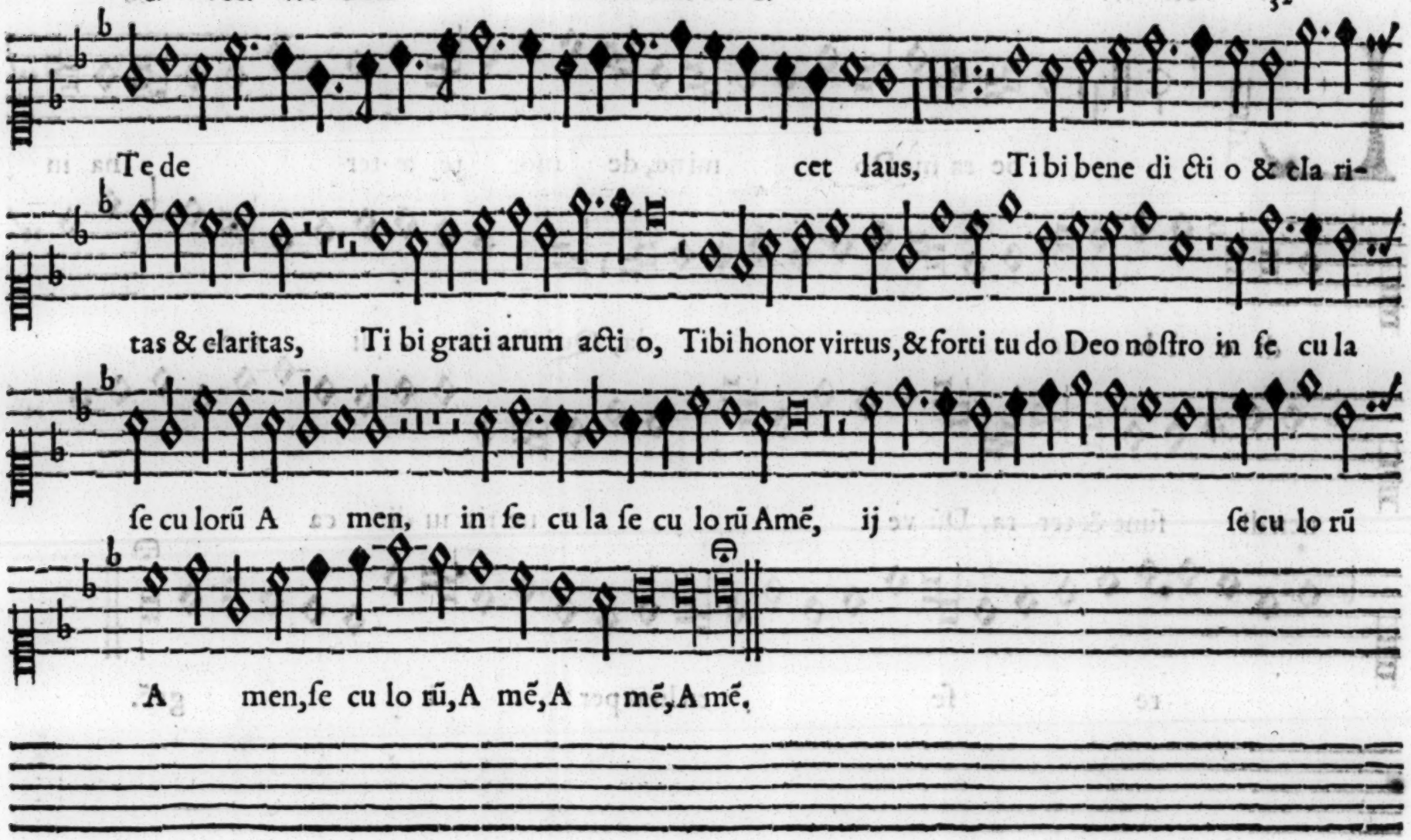

M
I se re re mi hi Domi ne, ij & ex-
CANON.
au di o ra ti onem me am. Mi se re re mi hi Do mi-
ne, & ex au di o ra ti onem me amme am.
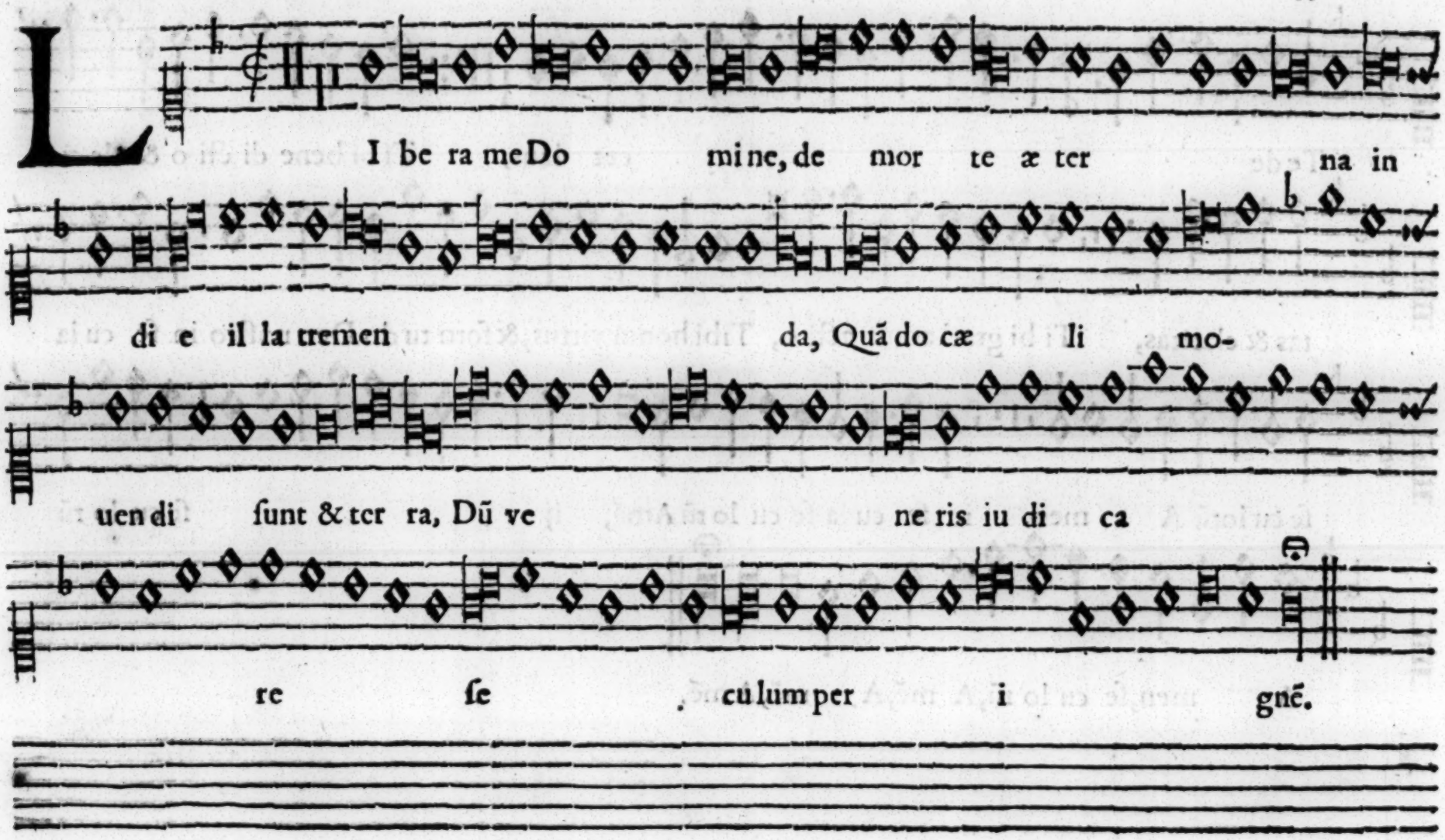

Laudet te cor meũ, laudet te lingua mea & om ni a oſſa me a dicant,
Domĩnequis ſi mi lis tu i, quẽ trinũ in perſonis, & vnũ in ſubſtã ti a de i ta tis co limus & a-
do ra mus, Patrẽ inge nitum, Spi ri tũ ſanctũ de v tro q; proce dẽ tẽ, & in v troq; per ma-
nen tẽ Sãctã & in di ui duam tri ni ta tẽ, v nũ De ũ omnipotentẽ omni po-
ten tẽ, vnum De ũ omnipo ten tẽ omnipo tentẽ v nũ De ũ omnipotentẽ omnipoten tẽ.


Ac nos per ip sã gra ti am tuam ſemper in fi de ſta biles ſta bi-
les ſemper in fi de ſta biles, ij
fi de ſtabiles ſemper in fi de ſta biles in fi de,
&in o pe re ef fi caces ef fi ca ces, &in o pe re ef fi ca ces, ij
vt per fidē rectā, & cōdigna fi dei o pe ra ad vi tā te mi ſe ran te
ij perue niamus e ter nā, ij perue ni amus eter nā,
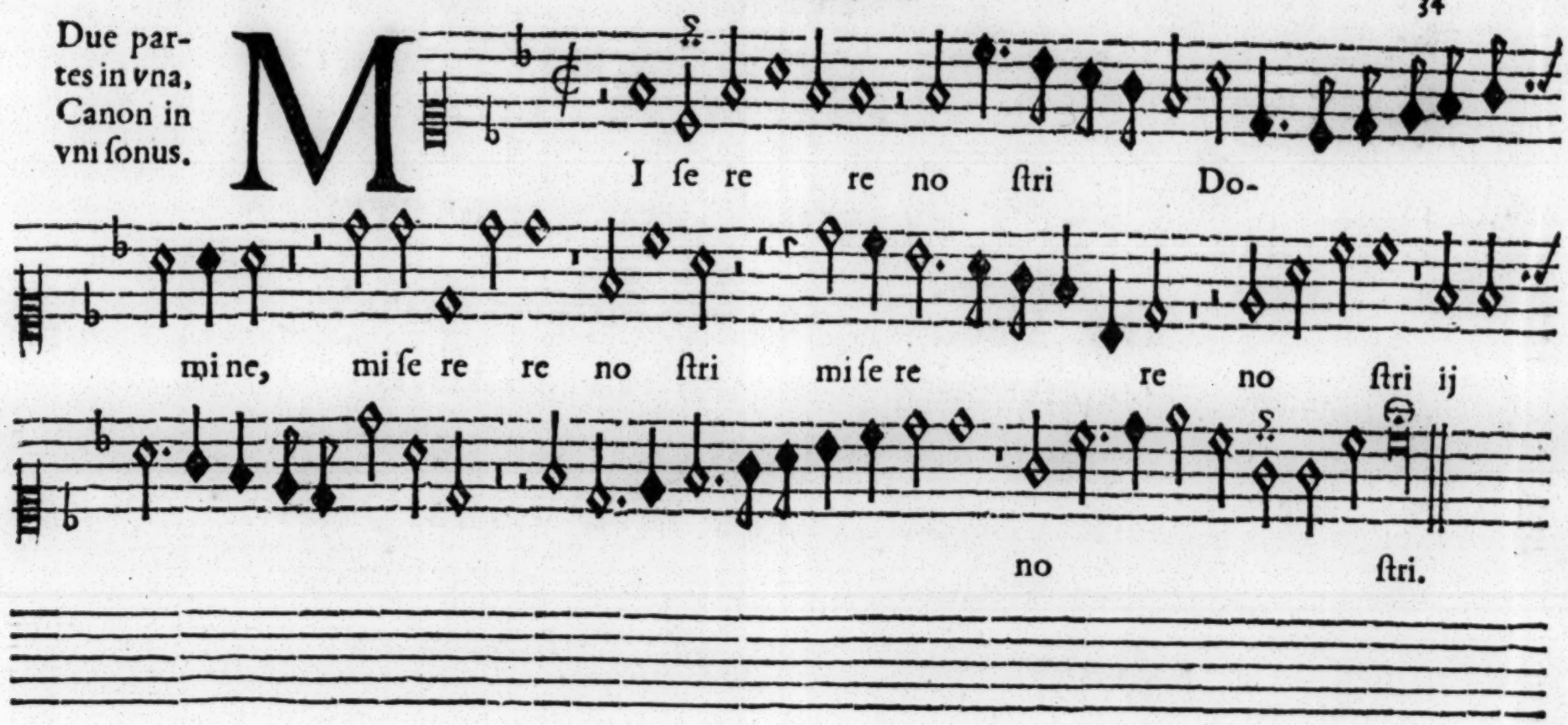

Lo ri a Spi ri tu i ſancto ſan cto, qui ſancti-
fi ca uit nos ſancti fi ca uit nos, Glo ri a ſum mæ & in di ui du æ tri ni ta-
ti cuius o pe re in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt,
cu ius o pe re in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, cuius im pe rium, ſi ne
fi ne manet ma net, cu ius im pe ri um ſi ne fi ne ma net,

te


Te de cet laus, Ti bi bene di cti o & cla ri-
tas & claritas, Ti bi grati arum acti o, Tibi honor virtus, & forti tu do Deo noſtro in ſe cu la
ſe cu lorũ A men, in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ Amẽ, ij ſe cu lo rũ
A men, ſe cu lo rũ, A mẽ, A mẽ, A mẽ.


LI be ra me Do mi ne, de mor te æ ter na in
di e il la tremen da, Quã do cæ li mo-
uen di ſunt & ter ra, Dũ ve ne ris iu di ca
re ſe cũ lum per i gnẽ.

Due partes in vna, Canon in vni ſonus.



II

## AVTORES CANTIONVM AD LECTOREM.

*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

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| Domine secundum. | 6. | 24. | Mihi autem | 5. | 7. |
| Diliges Dominum. | 8. | 25. | Memento homo. | 6. | 18. |
| | | | Miserere mihi. | 6. | 29. |
| Emendemus. | 5. | 4. | Miserere nostri. | 7. | 34. |
| Facti sunt. | 5. | 22. | O nata lux. | 5. | 8. |
| | | | O sacrum conuiuium. | 5. | 9. |
| Gloria Patri. | 6. | 32. | O lux. | 6. | 12. |
| In manus tuas. | 5. | 3. | Peccantem me. | 5. | 6. |
| Ille dum pergunt. | 5. | 16. | Procul recedant. | 5. | 20. |

Sal-

| *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* | *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Saluator mundi. | 5. | 1. | Tribue Domine. | 6. | 30. |
| Sabbatum. | 5. | 14. | Te deprecor. | 6. | 31. |
| Siderum rector. | 5. | 19. | | | |
| Saluator. | 5. | 21. | Virtus & poteſtas. | 5. | 15. |
| Suſcipe quæſo. | 7. | 27. | | | |
| Si enim. | 7. | 28. | | | |

## Canones de tribus cantionibus.

Diliges Dominum, octo partes in quatuor, rectà & retrò.
Miſerere mihi, quatuor partes in duabus, cum duabus alijs ad placitum.
Miſerere noſtri, 6. partes in duabus, cum vna parte ad placitum.

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

## Maiesties letters patents to Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde,

*for the printing of musicke.*

*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokesellers and other officers ministers and subiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the especiall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the science of musicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued seruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the assignes of them and of the suruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next ensuing, to imprint any and so many as they will of set songe or songes in partes, either in English, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may serue for musicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwise to be either plaid or soonge, And that they may rule and cause to be ruled by impression any paper to serue for printing or pricking of any songe or songes, and may sell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any songe or songes, or any bookes or quieres of such ruled paper imprinted, Also we straightly by the same forbid all printers bookesellers subiects & strangers, other then as is aforesaid, to do any the premisses, or to bring or cause to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any songe or songes made and printed in any forren countrie, to sell or put to sale, vpon paine of our high displeasure, And the offender in any of the premisses for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and successors fortie shllings, and to the said Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their assignes & to the assignes of the suruiuer of the, all & euery the said bokes papers songe or songes, VVe haue also by the same willed & commaunded our printers, maisters & wardens of the misterie of stacioners, to assist the said Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their assignes for the dewe executing of the premisses.*

cum undebius alleluia alle-

luia. Ymo

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et-pe-tro quia surrex-it do

mi-nus. Precedit vos in

galilaam ibi-eum vi-

discipuli non recedebam sed amoris

eius igne accensi ardebam de

fideli-o Et dñi. ℣. In resurr.

Du autem

fer. ℣. Et cum

Ymo laud'a.

Dum sunt hii sermo

nes quos contulerunt ad inui

cem ambulantes et ecce ihs

stes alleluia. respondit unus

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alla alla alla. ℣ Laud puer.

Alle lu ia

laudate puer dominum

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ꝑ nobis filiꝰ tuꝰ ad cõplectꝰ. A.

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sperau. ℣ Exce nũc. ℣ Huc oꝝ.

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bis alla. ℣ Cum inuoc. Dñe in

furore.

℣ Qui:

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mors fugit ad cuius uocem mor

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cium porte mortis contrac

te sunt

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bis obediens usq; ad mor-tem mo

tem autem crucis.

leuamini porte eternales. et introi

bit rex glorie

Sextus

Alleluia alleluia ℣. Descē.

℟. Surrexit dñus de.

℟. Surrexit dñus de sepulchro. Ad. vñs. Alleluia alleluia

℟. Surrexit dñus de.

℣. In resurrectione.

℟. Alleluia. Hec pdcē. ℟. z ꝛnabit suus. Sūdis diebꝫ ꝛ̄ horas pdcō mō usqꝫ ad ascensionē dñi. Ad. vñs. Alleluia

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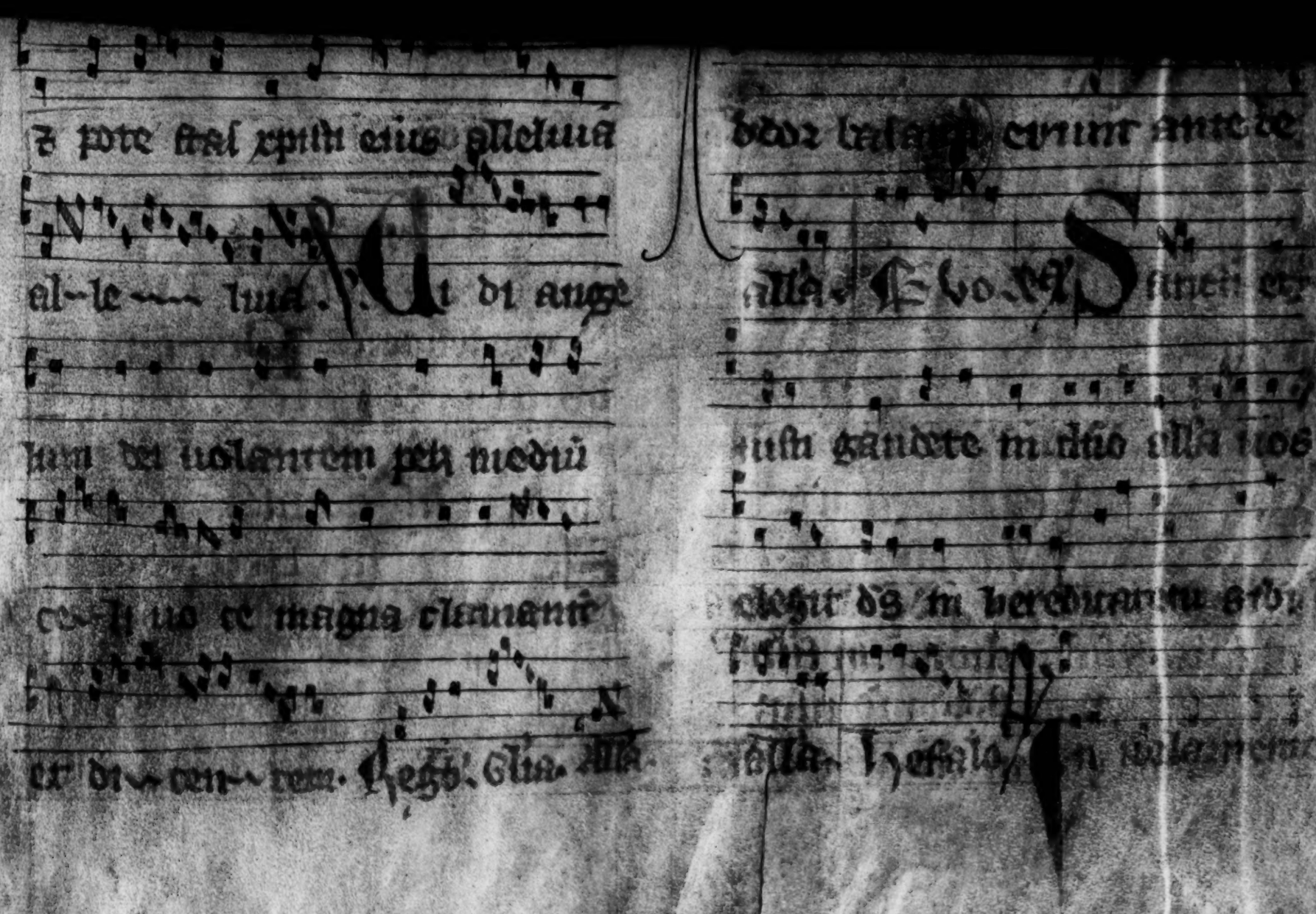
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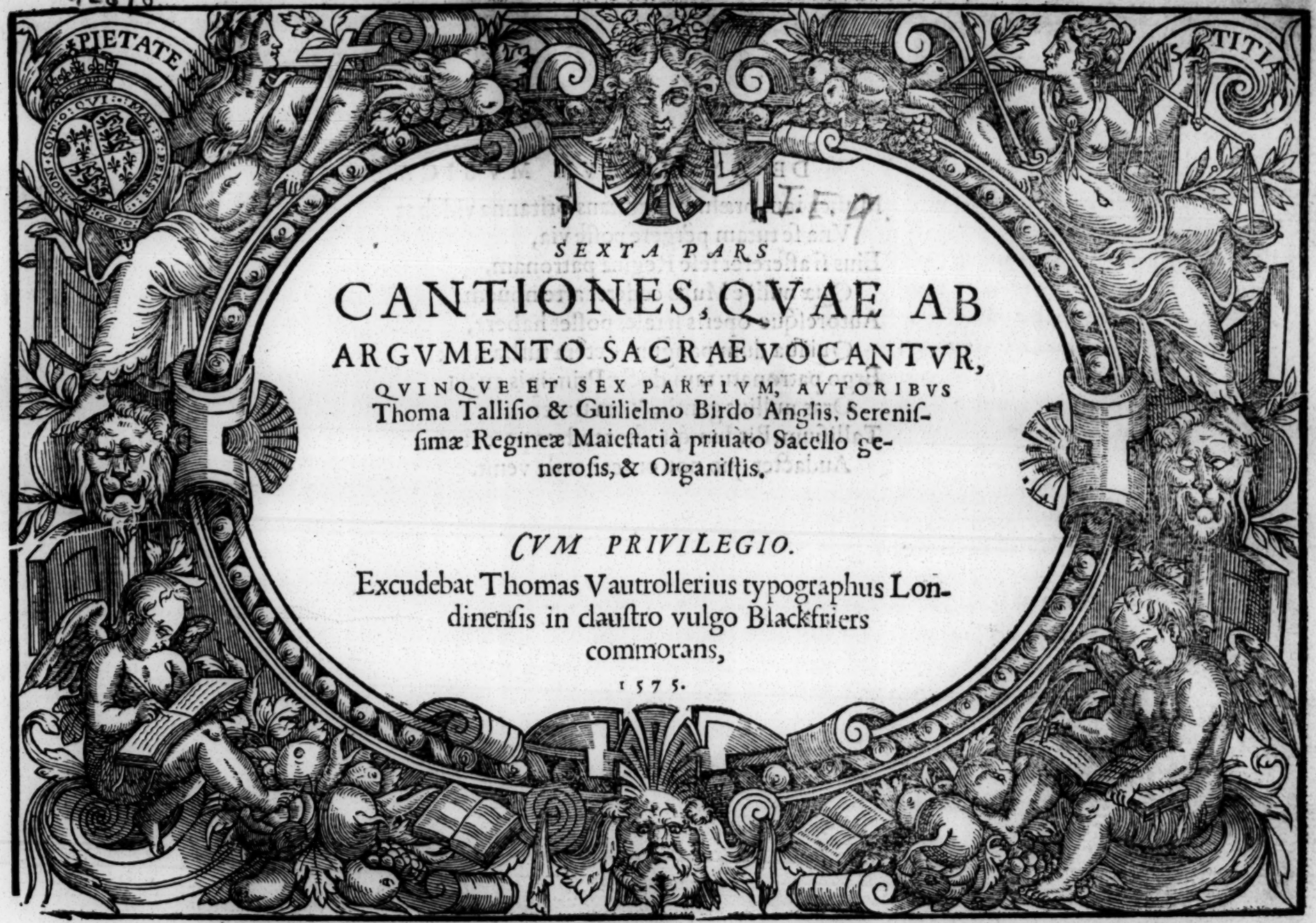
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SEXTA PARS

# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET SEX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS
Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſſimæ Regineæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

1575.

T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII,
## ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.

*QVanti sit precij res Musica, quamq; regendis*
*Insanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ sedem cuiuslibet esse,*
*E quibus efficitur Musica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Respublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Musica sedem*
*Obtineat, primo sitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quod & insignes medici, qui sana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conseruet, mentem Musica sana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philosophis annosa vetustas*
*Conspirans hanc est tota sequuta viam.*
*Sed neque posteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à se prorsus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum discrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet esse sibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Musica iure,*
*Vt quò quisque sapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo summo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maiestas ætatis gloria nostræ*
*Hanc in delicijs semper habere solet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipsa ètiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel semper amarunt,*
*Ausæ sunt scriptis nobilitate suis.*
*Illustres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere scienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum nostra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, sed semper passa latere suos,*
*Tallisium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum discutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt sic,*
*Iudicio patriæ siquid honoris inest,*
*Nomen honoratum sibi promereatur vterq;,*
*Musica quà magnum peruia nomen habet,*
*Quorum iudicio fidens se pandit apertè*
*Musica, quam Oceani Regia dives alit.*
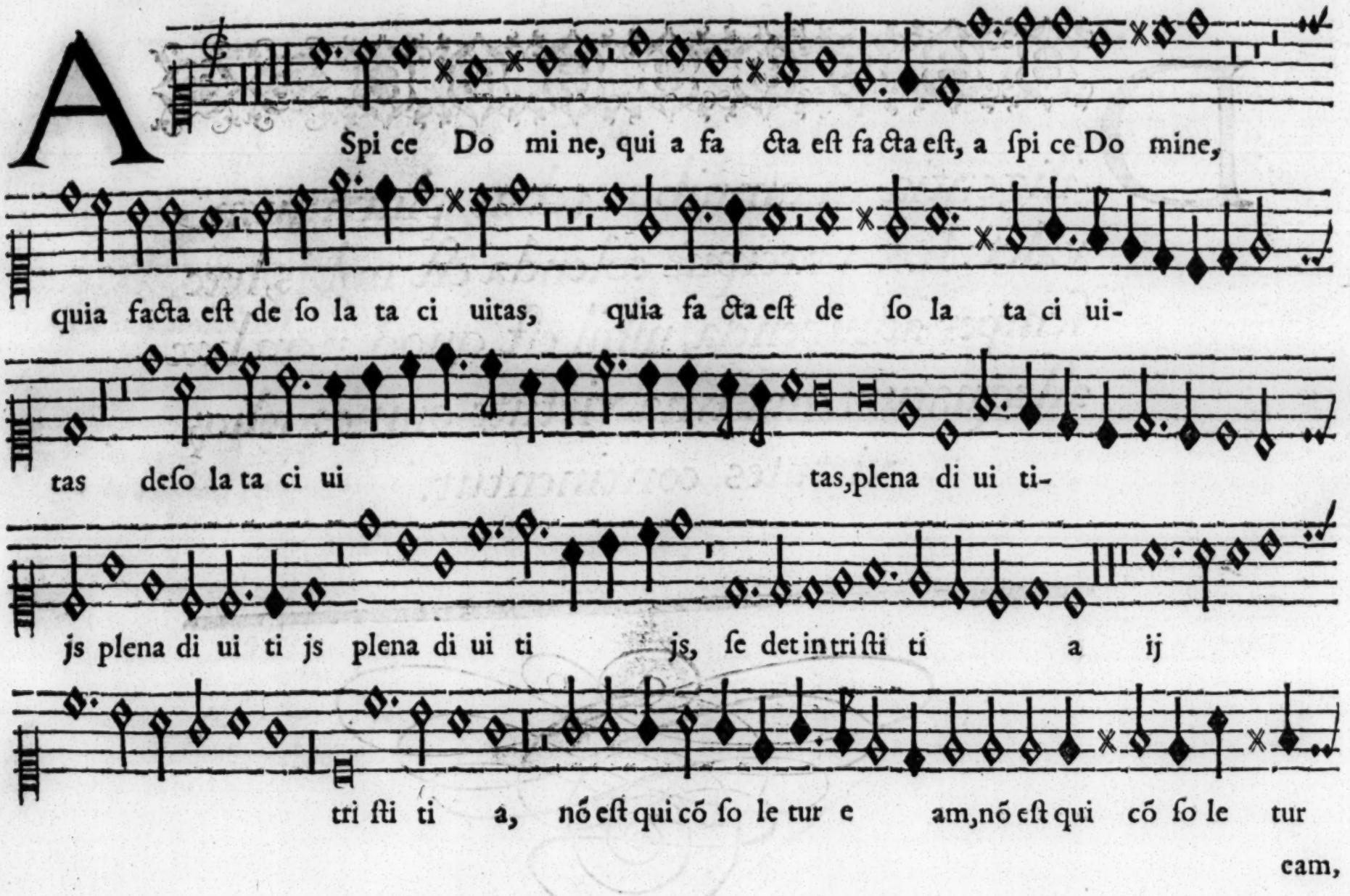
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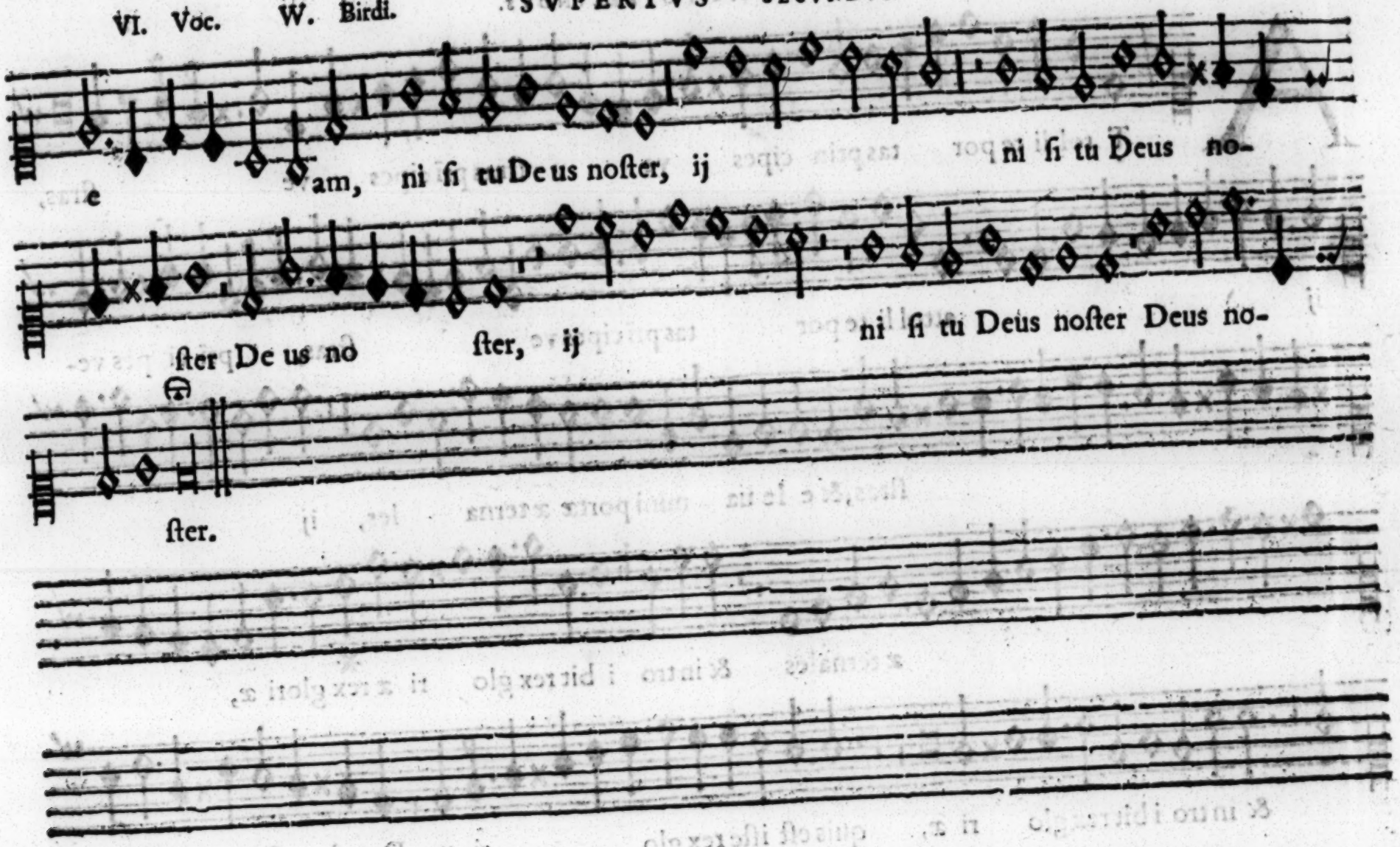
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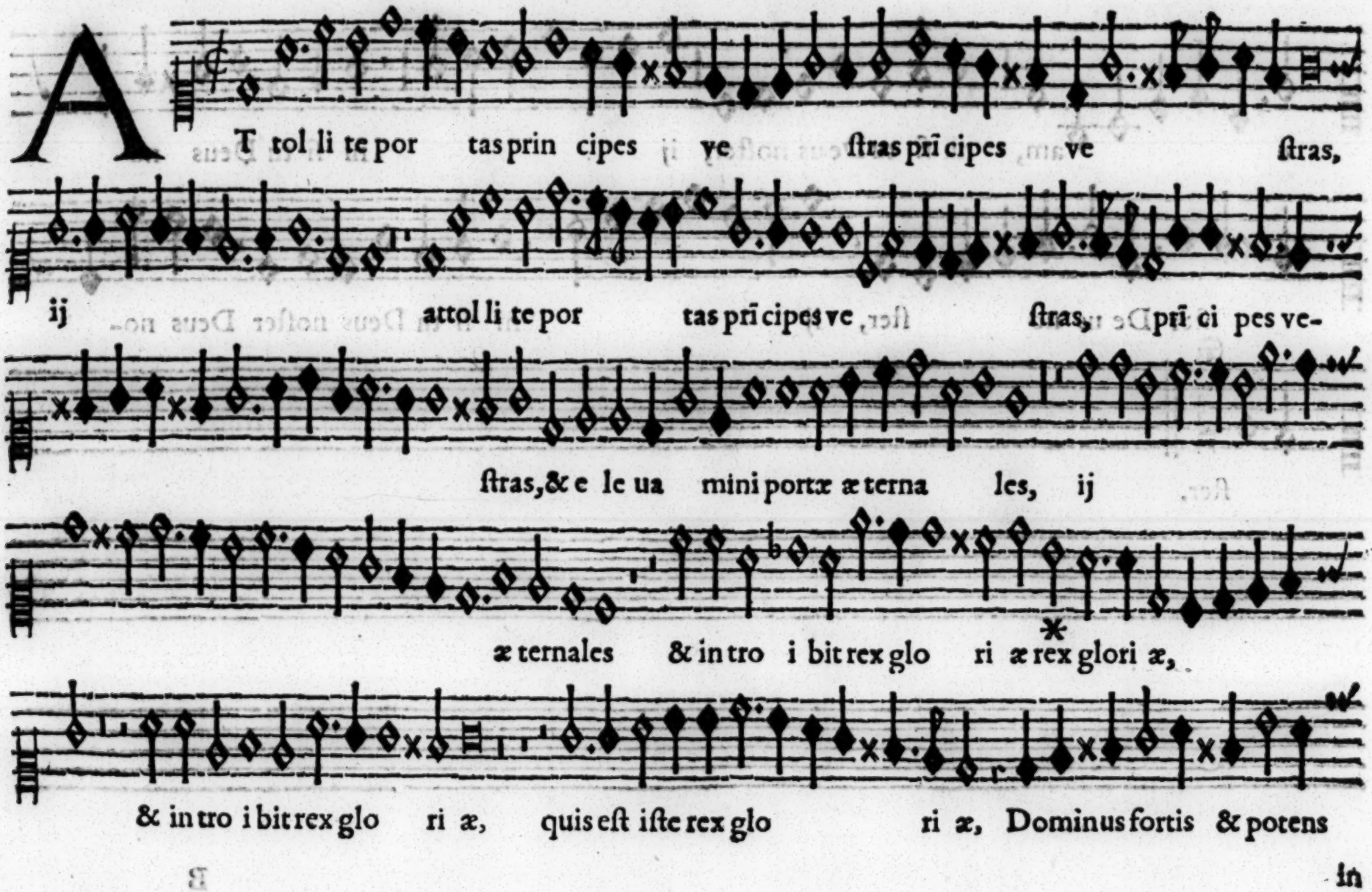
Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Muſica præcones cerneret eſſe ſui,
Illorumque opera per ſumma cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce ſonare,
Edere & immenſæ poſteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuiſſe modos,
Temporis Alphonſum noſtri Phænica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet eſſe ſua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impreſſum nomen habere libro.
Penè ſubiraſci cœpit, noſtroſque Britannos
Indignos donis inſimulare ſuis.
Quos certò ſcierat multum potuiſſe canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent triſtem finire querelam,
Talliſius magno dignus honore ſenex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magiſtrum,
Promittunt poſthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendoſque ſuos cantus, ſua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis paſſus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio ſint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, ſi pueris rudibus cenſura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata ſtylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet eſſe ſuos
Hæc habui, venerande ſenex, mihi magne magiſter,
Danda tibi mentis conſcia ſigna meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis noſtræ ſpes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum ſic orno magiſtrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod ſi quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Muſica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita noſtræ,
Quin debere mihi ſe quoque Muſa putet.
Interea, mihi dum ſuccreſcit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi ſint bona ſigna boni.
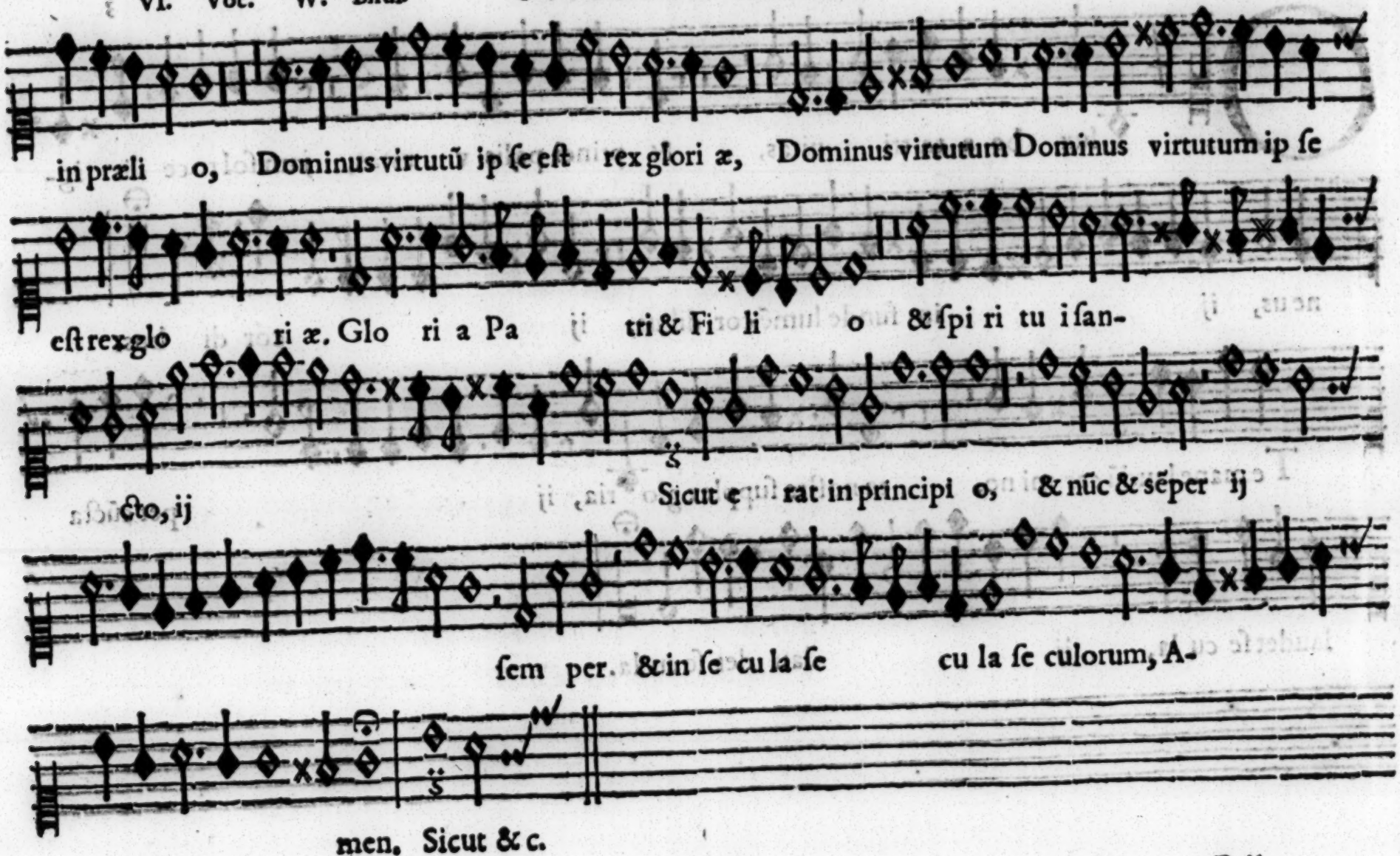
*Ferdinandus Richardſonus.*

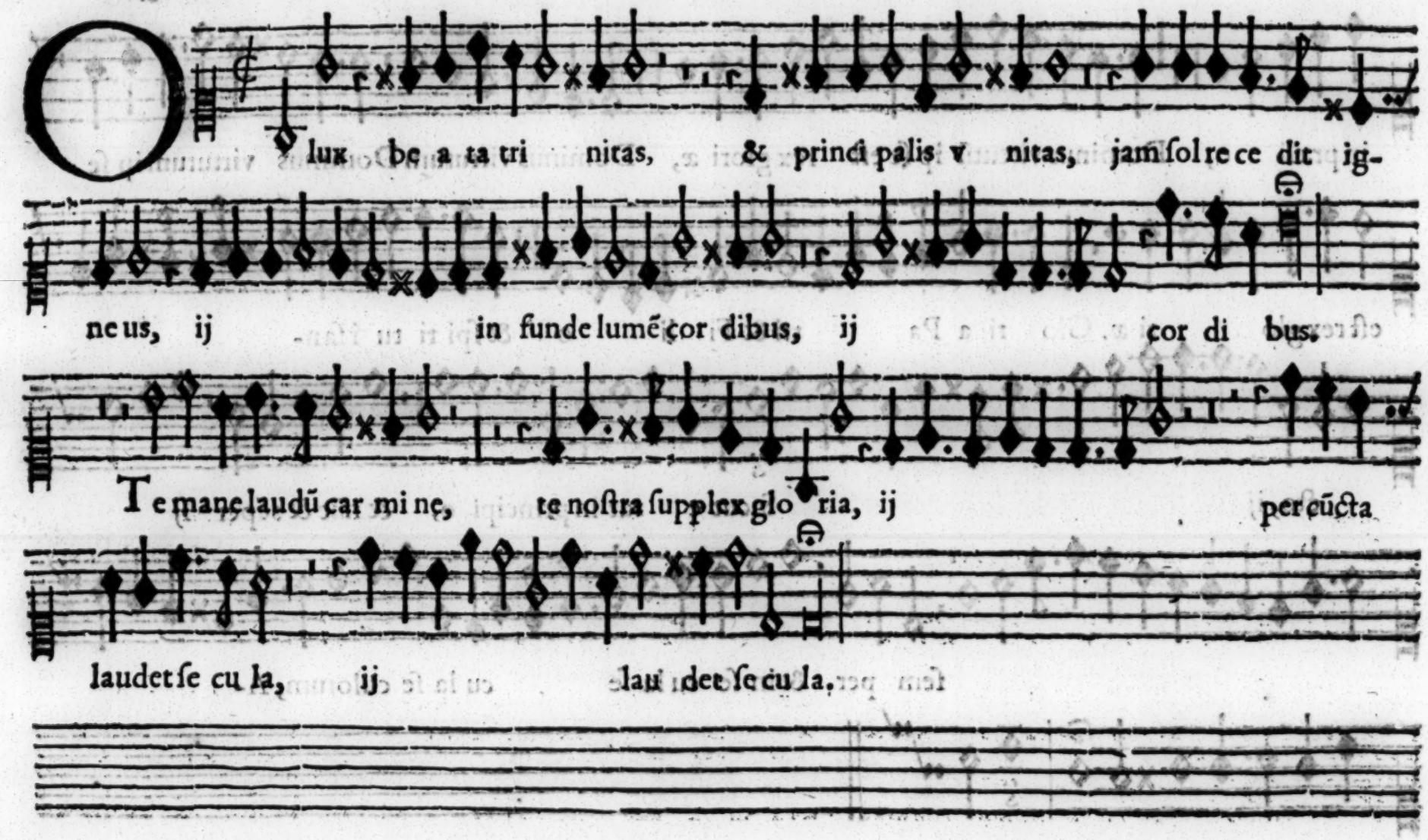
Diligentia in omnibus rebus plurimum valet: hæc præcipuè colenda est nobis, hæc semper adhibenda, nihil est quod non hæc assequatur: qua una virtute omnes reliqꝫ virtutes continentur.
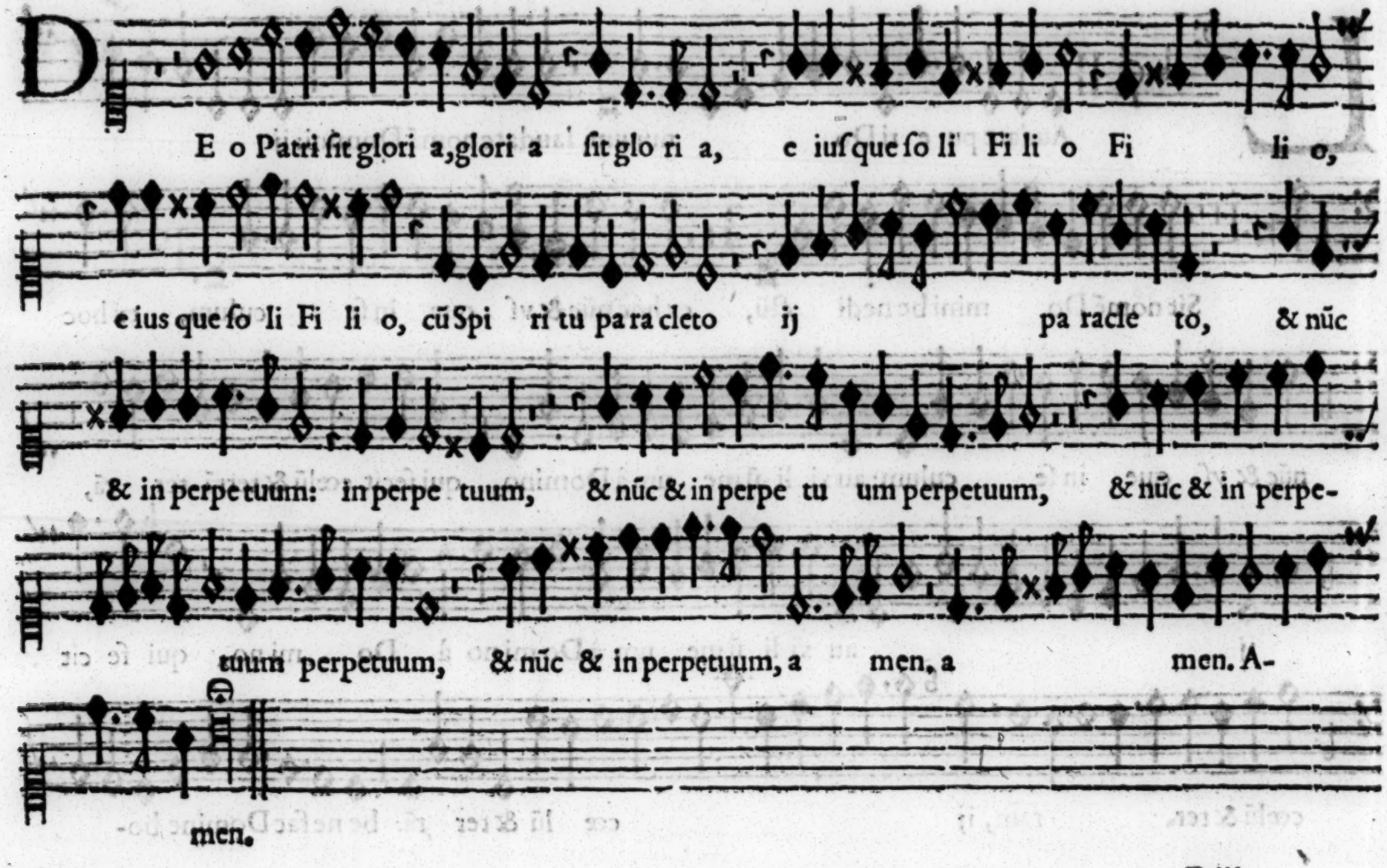

Aſpi ce Do mi ne, qui a fa cta eſt fa cta eſt, a ſpi ce Do mine,
quia facta eſt de ſo la ta ci uitas, quia fa cta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui-
tas deſo la ta ci ui tas,plena di ui ti-
js plena di ui ti js plena di ui ti js, ſe det in tri ſti ti a ij
tri ſti ti a, nõ eſt qui cõ ſo le tur e am,nõ eſt qui cõ ſo le tur
cam,

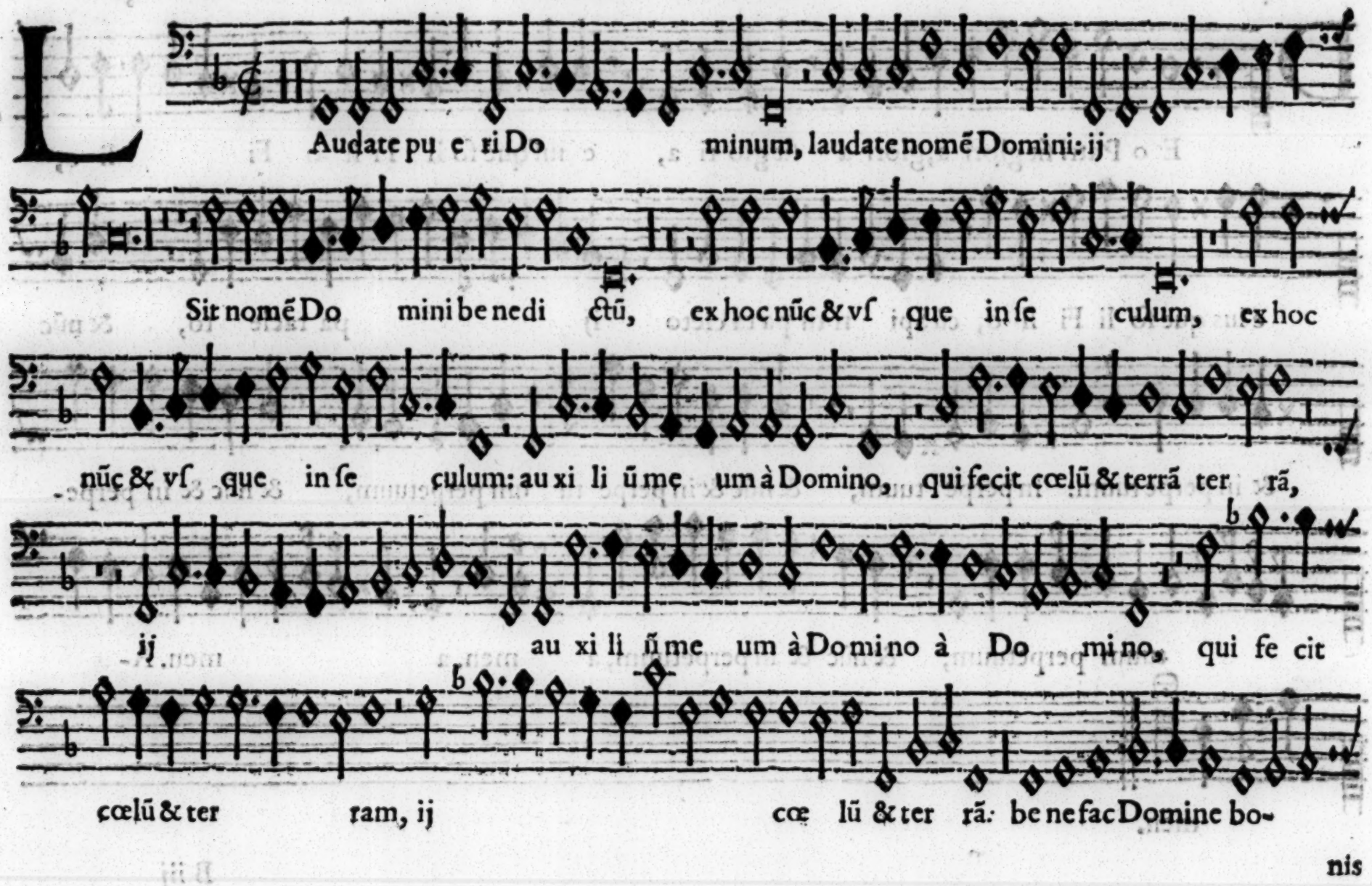

e am, ni ſi tu Deus noſter, ij
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ſter De us no ſter, ij
ni ſi tu Deus noſter Deus no-
ſter.
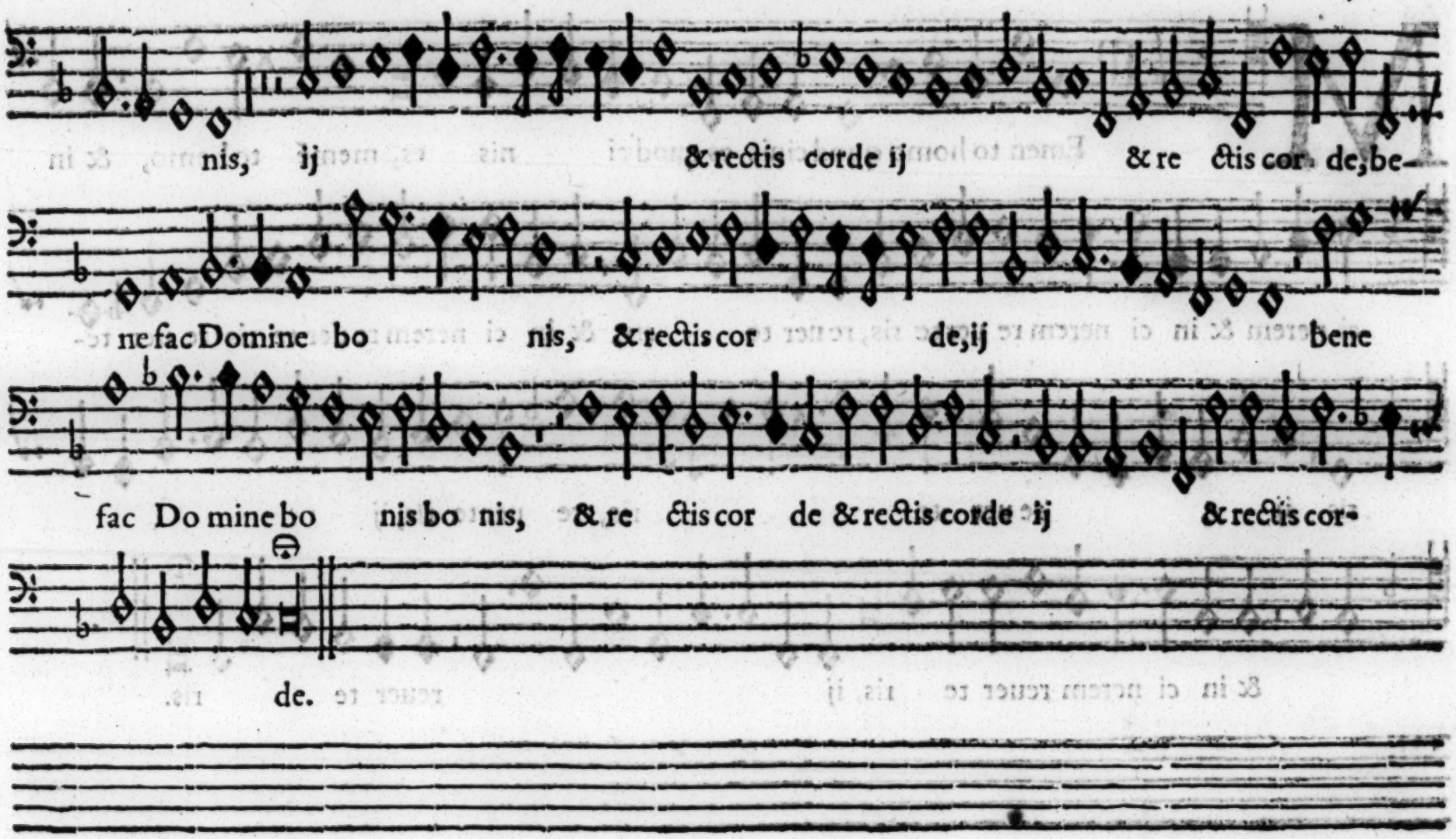

ATtol li te por tas prin cipes ve ſtras prī cipes ve ſtras,
ij attol li te por tas prī cipes ve ſtras, prī ci pes ve-
ſtras,& e le ua mini portæ æterna les, ij
æternales & intro i bit rex glo ri æ rex glori æ,
& intro i bit rex glo ri æ, quis eſt iſte rex glo ri æ, Dominus fortis & potens

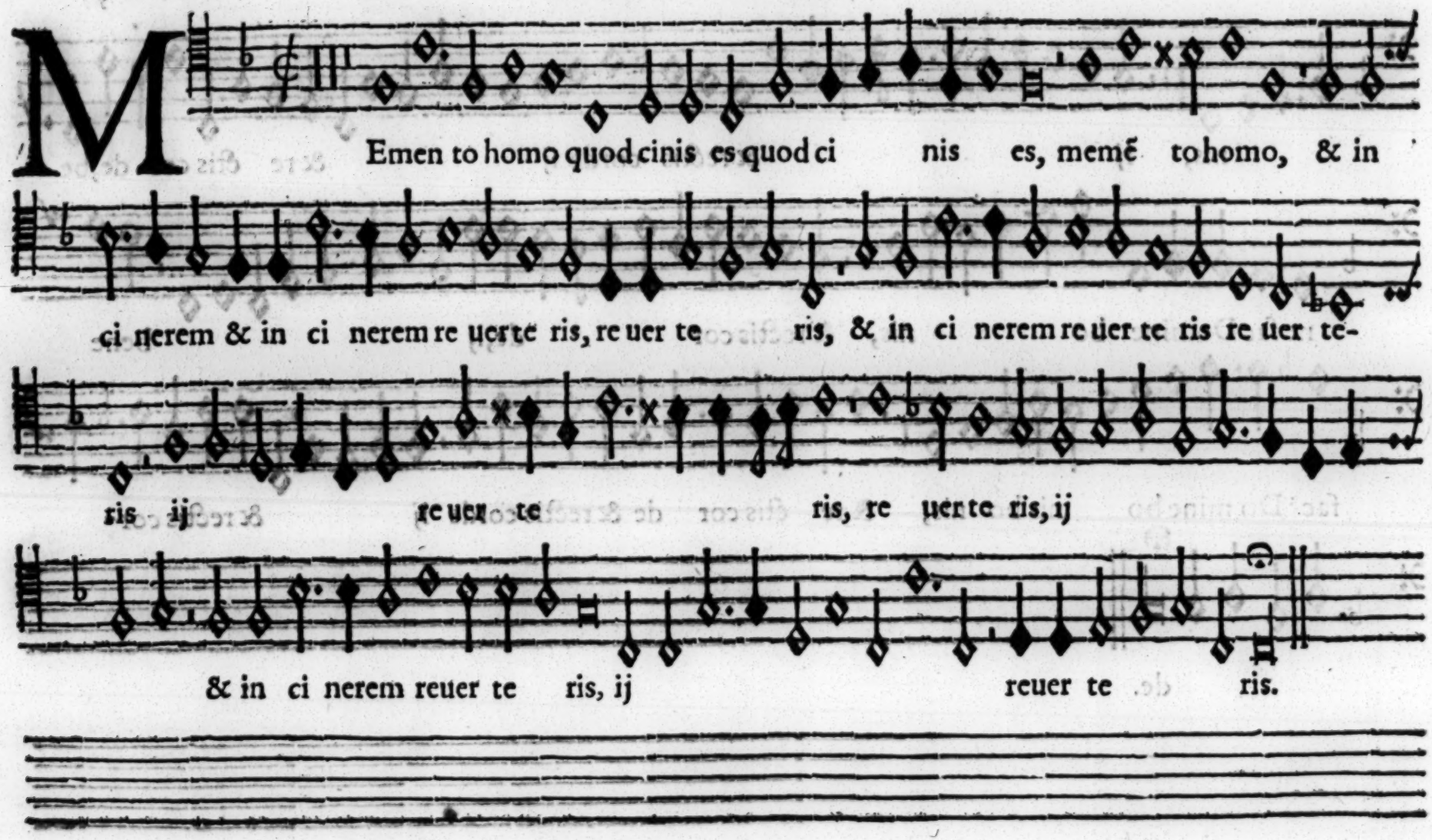

in præli o, Dominus virtutũ ip ſe eſt rex glori æ, Dominus virtutum Dominus virtutum ip ſe
eſt rex glo ri æ. Glo ri a Pa tri & Fi li o & ſpi ri tu i ſan-
cto, ij Sicut e rat in principi o, & nũc & sẽper ij
ſem per. & in ſe cu la ſe cu la ſe culorum, A-
men. Sicut &c.
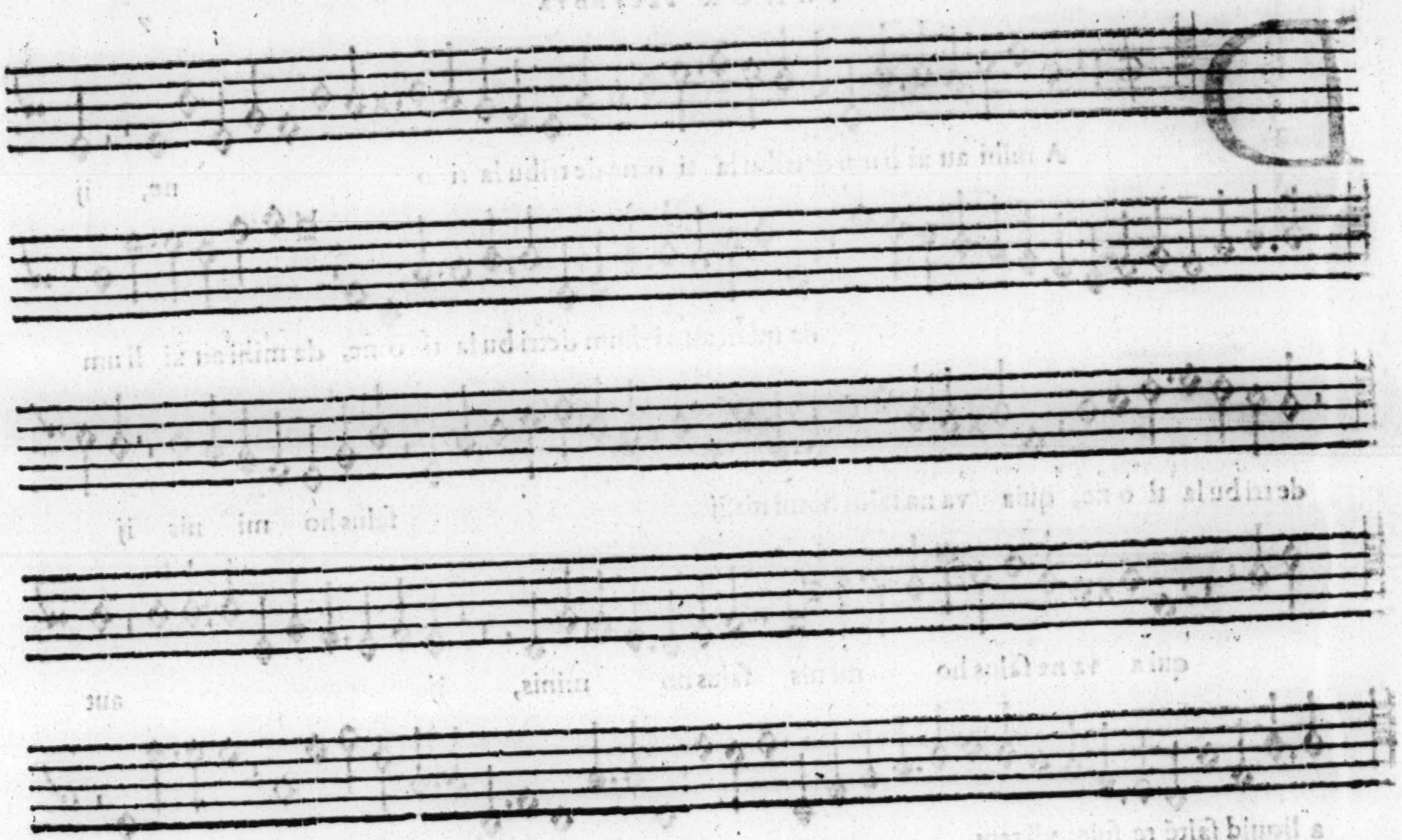

O lux be a ta tri nitas, & princi palis v nitas, jam sol re ce dit ig-
neus, ij in funde lumẽ cor dibus, ij cor di bus.
T e mane laudũ car mi ne, te nostra supplex glo ria, ij per cũcta
laudet se cu la, ij lau det se cu la,


D
E o Patri sit glori a, glori a sit glo ri a, e iusque so li Fi li o Fi li o,
e ius que so li Fi li o, cũ Spi ri tu pa ra cleto ij pa racle to, & nũc
& in perpe tuum: in perpe tuum, & nũc & in perpe tu um perpetuum, & nũc & in perpe-
tuum perpetuum, & nũc & in perpetuum, a men, a men. A-
men.
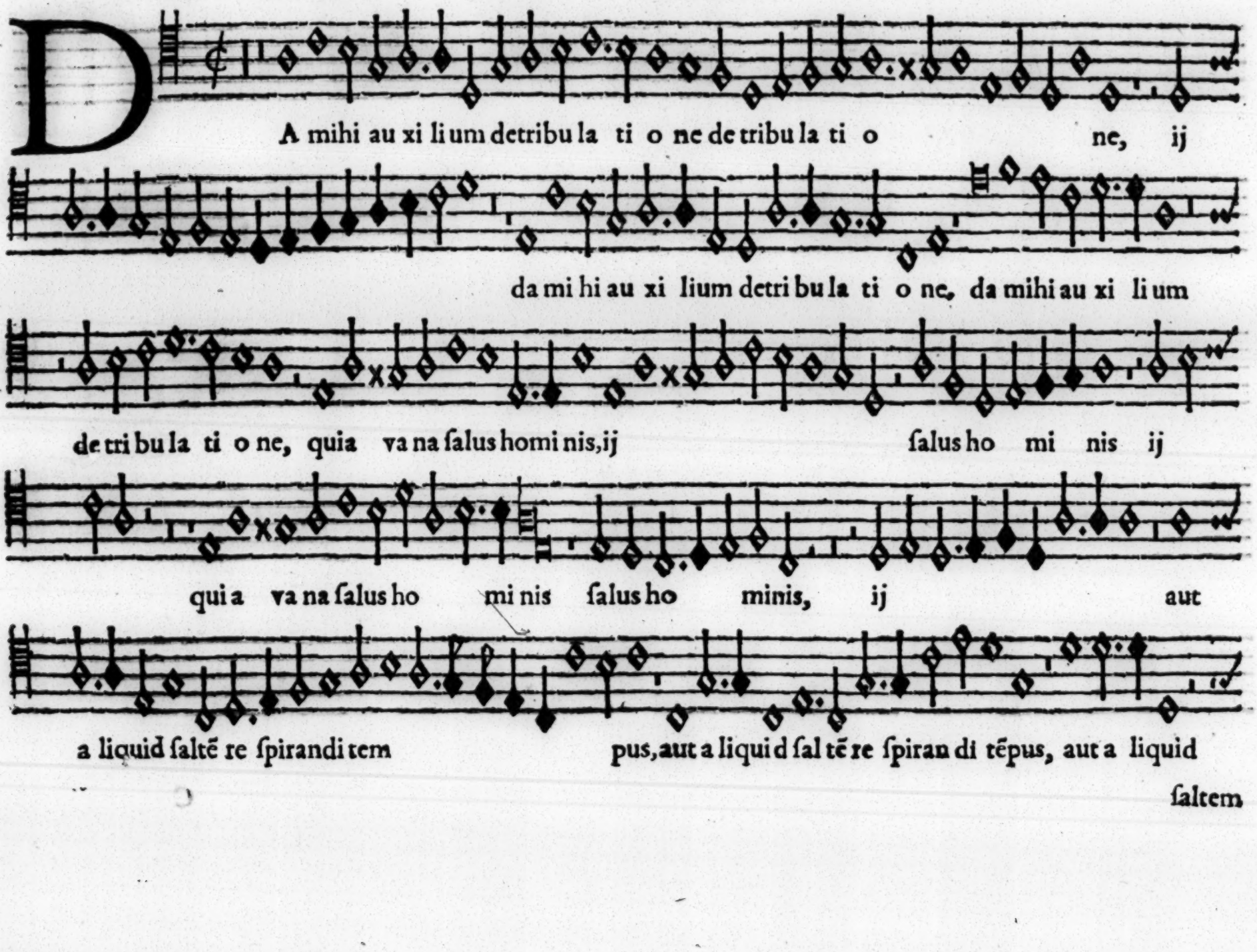

Audate pu e ri Do minum, laudate nomẽ Domini: ij
Sit nomẽ Do mini be nedi ctũ, ex hoc nũc & vſ que in ſe culum, ex hoc
nũc & vſ que in ſe culum: au xi li ũ me um à Domino, qui fecit cœlũ & terrã ter rã,
ij au xi li ñme um à Domino à Do mino, qui fe cit
cœlũ & ter ram, ij cœ lũ & ter rã: be ne fac Domine bo-
nis


nis, ij & rectis corde ij & re ctis cor de,be-
ne fac Domine bo nis, & rectis cor de,ij bene
fac Do mine bo nis bo nis, & re ctis cor de & rectis corde ij & rectis cor-
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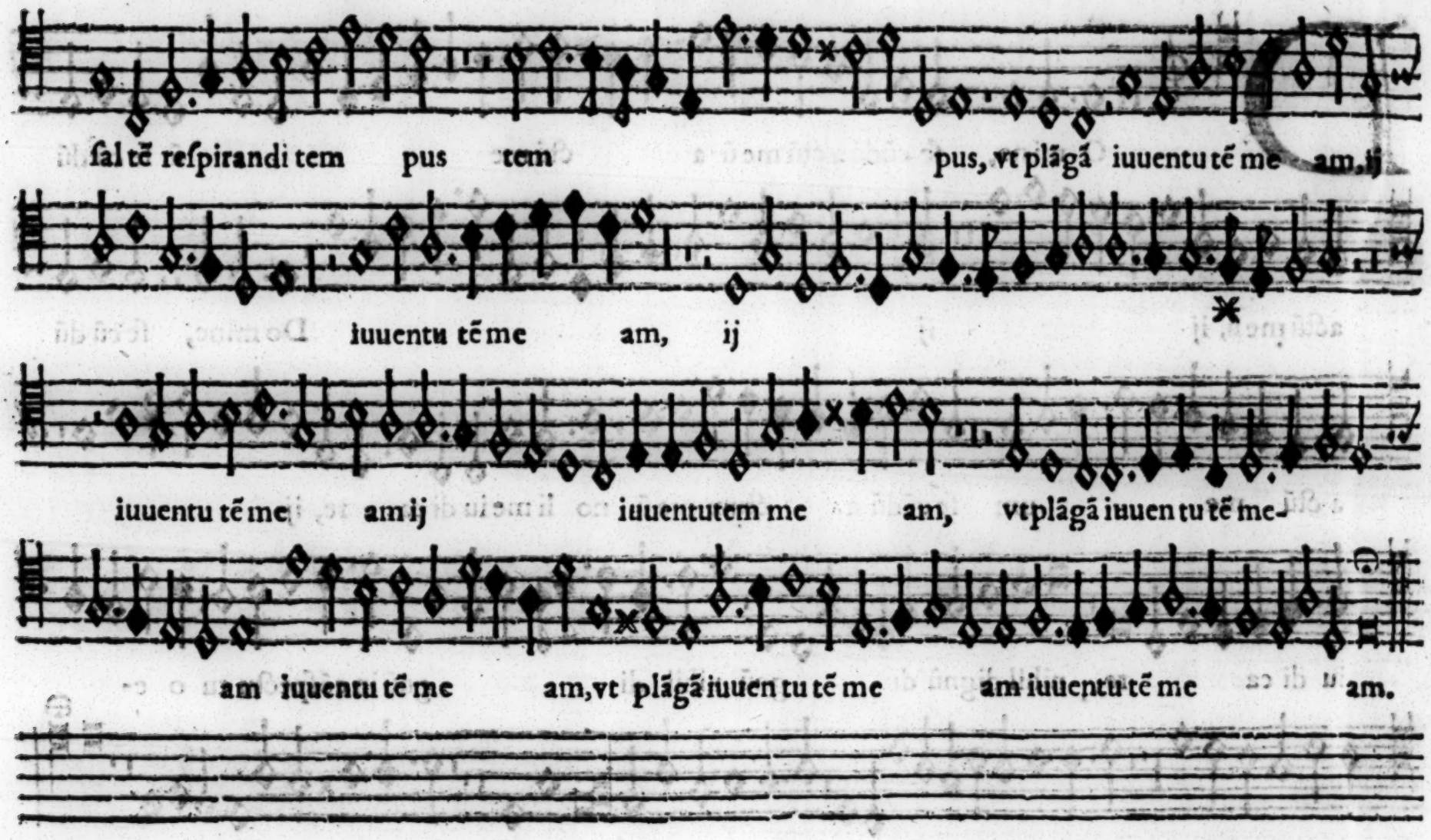

Memento homo quod cinis es quod ci nis es, memẽ to homo, & in
ci nerem & in ci nerem re uerte ris, re uer te ris, & in ci nerem re uer te ris re uer te-
ris ij re uer te ris, re uer te ris, ij
& in ci nerem reuer te ris, ij reuer te ris.
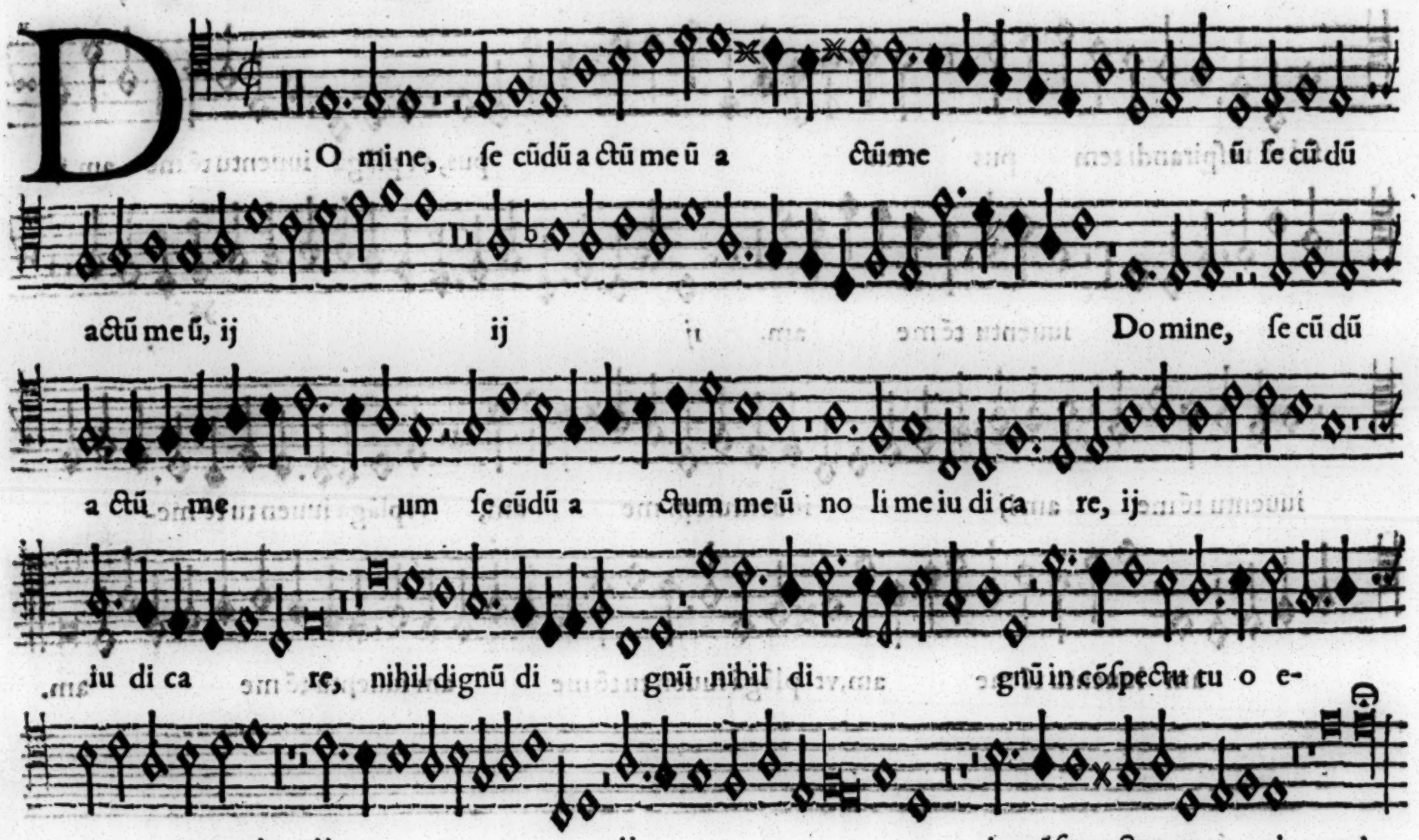


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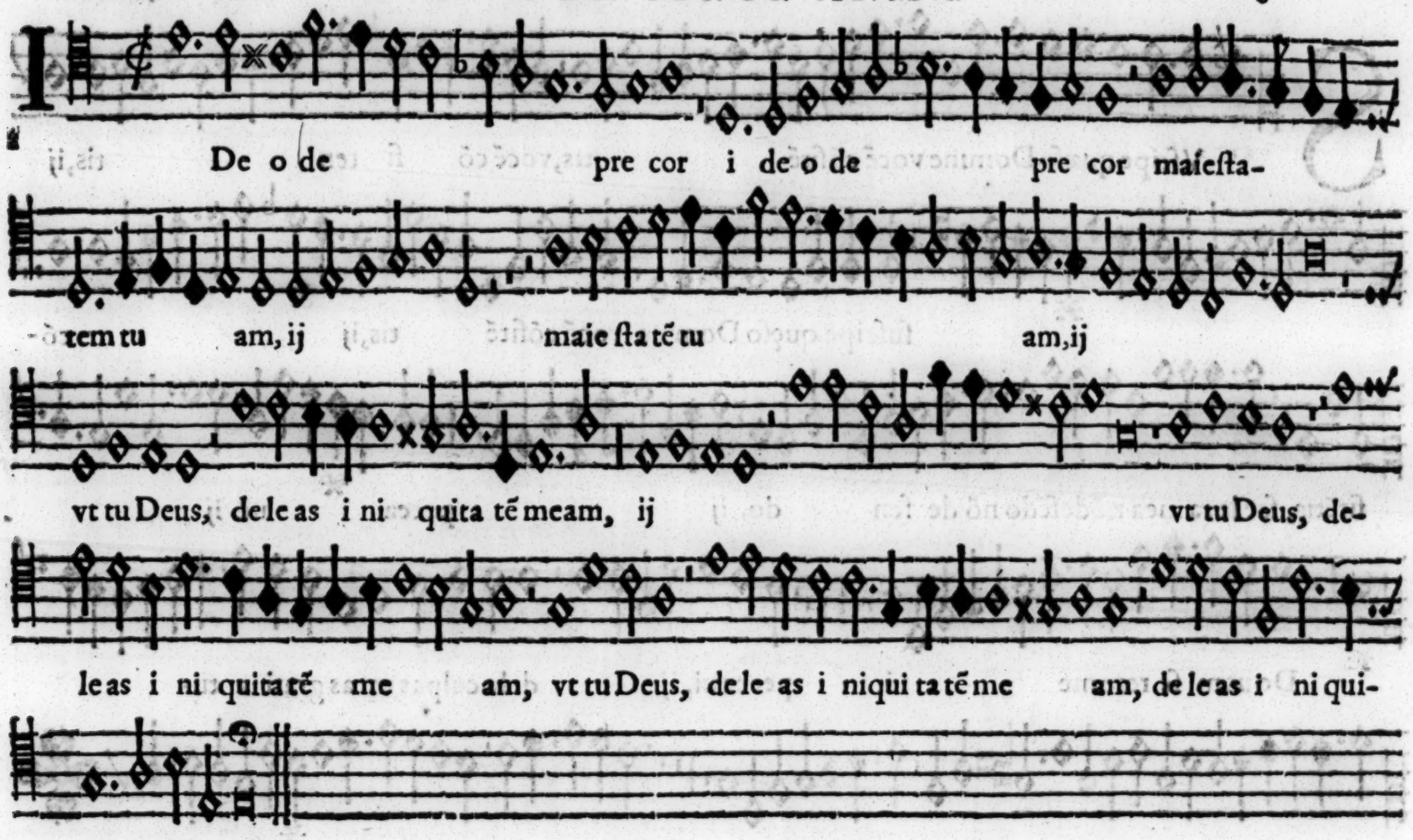

A mihi au xi li um detribu la ti o ne de tribu la ti o ne, ij
da mi hi au xi lium detri bu la ti o ne, da mihi au xi li um
de tri bu la ti o ne, quia va na ſalus homi nis,ij ſalus ho mi nis ij
qui a va na ſalus ho mi nis ſalus ho minis, ij aut
a liquid ſaltē re ſpirandi tem pus,aut a liqui d ſal tē re ſpiran di tēpus, aut a liquid
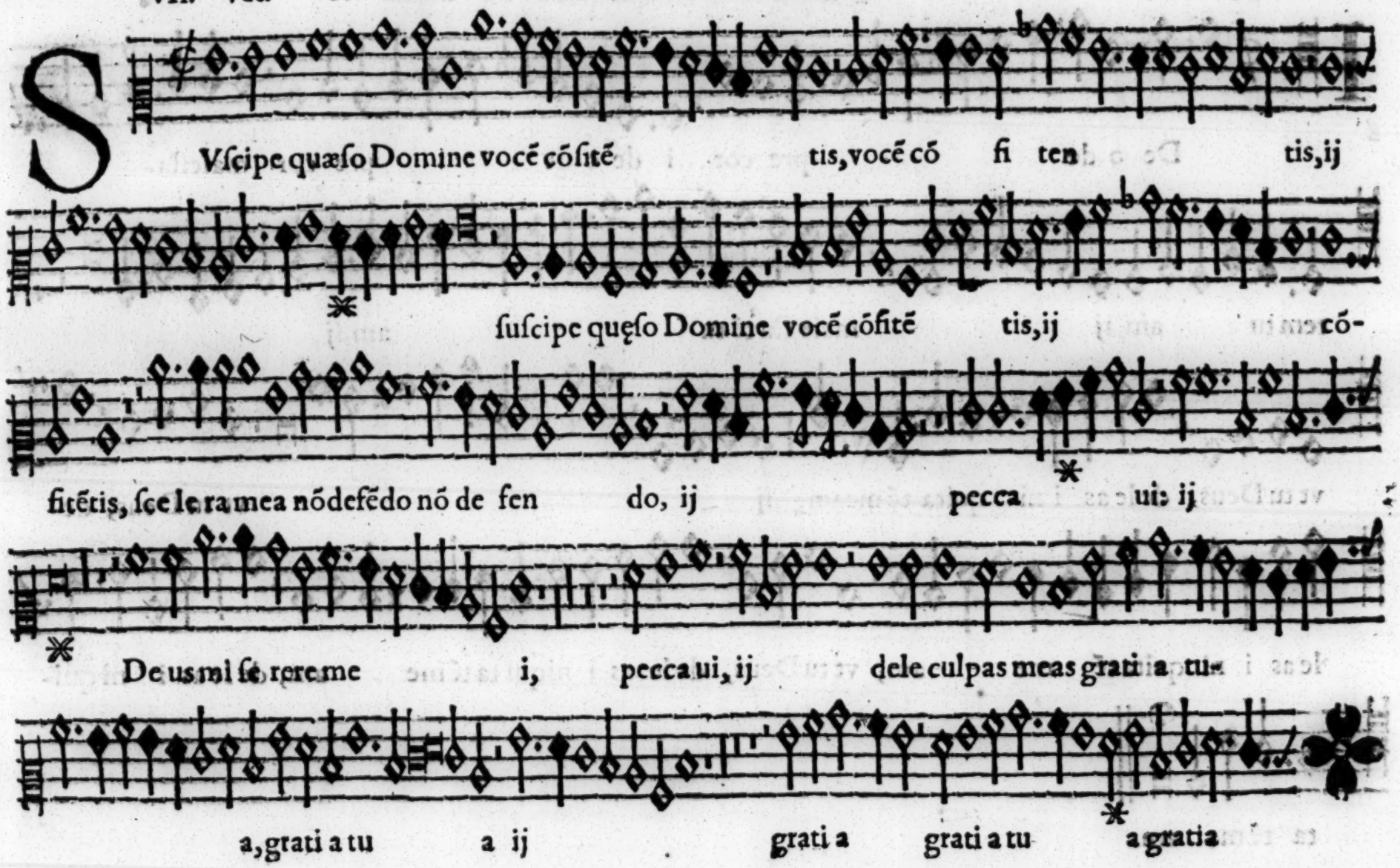
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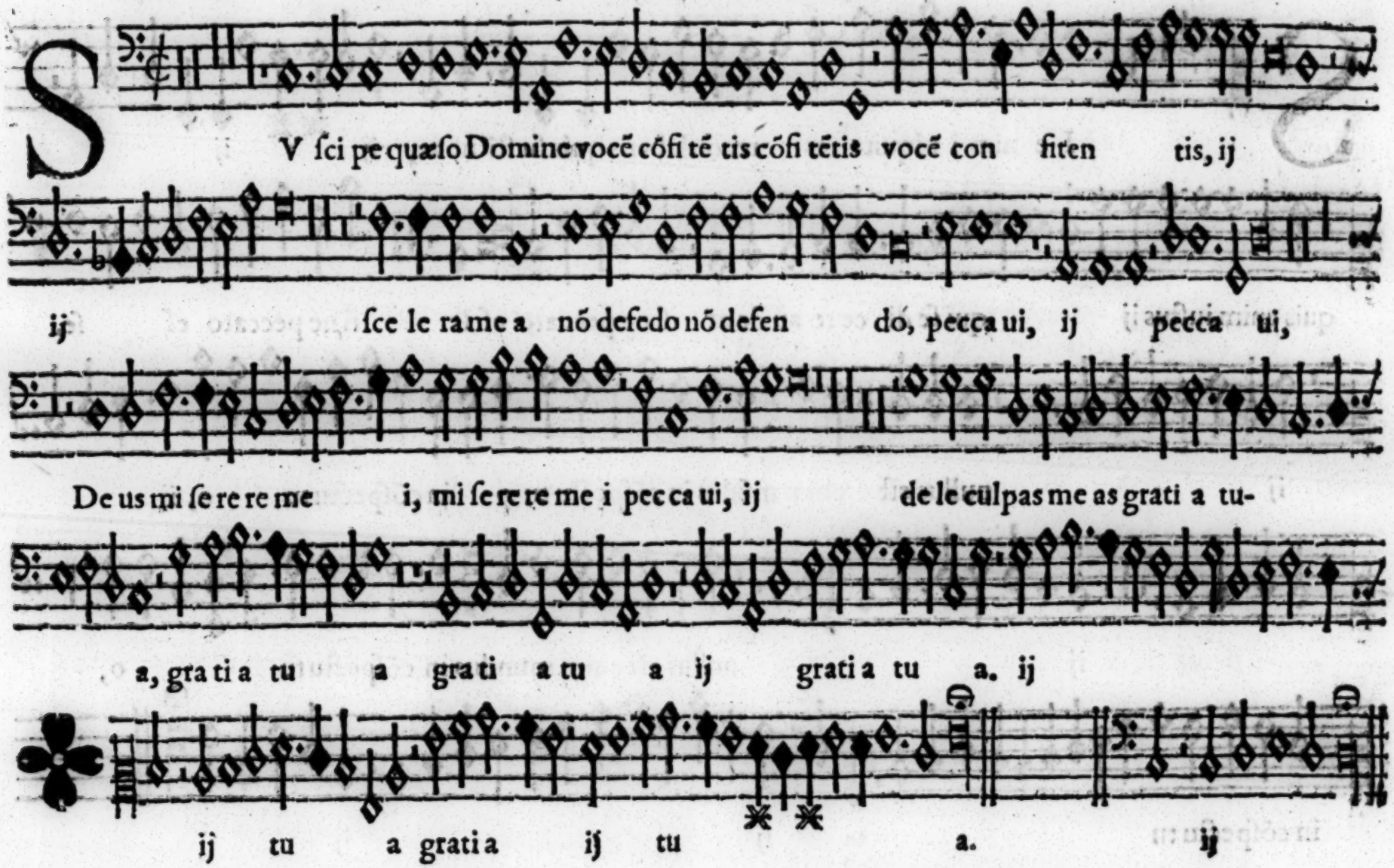

ſal tẽ reſpirandi tem pus tem pus, vt plãgã iuuentu tẽ me am, ij
iuuentu tẽ me am, ij
iuuentu tẽ me am ij iuuentutem me am, vtplãgã iuuen tu tẽ me
am iuuentu tẽ me am, vt plãgã iuuen tu tẽ me am iuuentu tẽ me am.
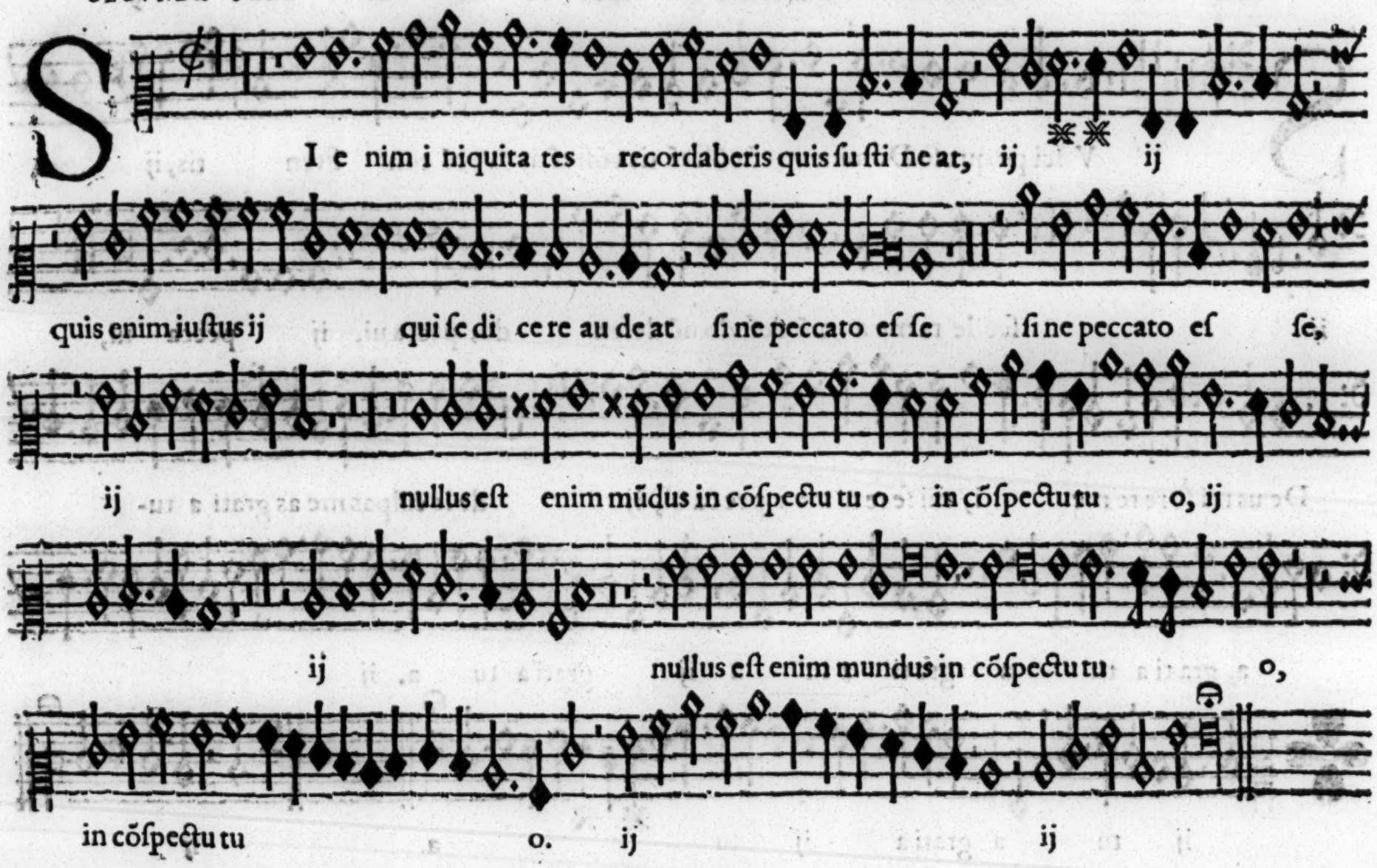

DOmine, ſe cũdũ a ctũ meũ a ctũme ũ ſe cũ dũ
actũ meũ, ij ij Do mine, ſe cũ dũ
a ctũ me um ſe cũdũ a ctum meũ no li me iu di ca re, ij
iu di ca re, nihil dignũ di gnũ nihil di gnũ in cõſpectu tu o e-
gi, ij ij in cõſpe ctu tuo e gi e gi.

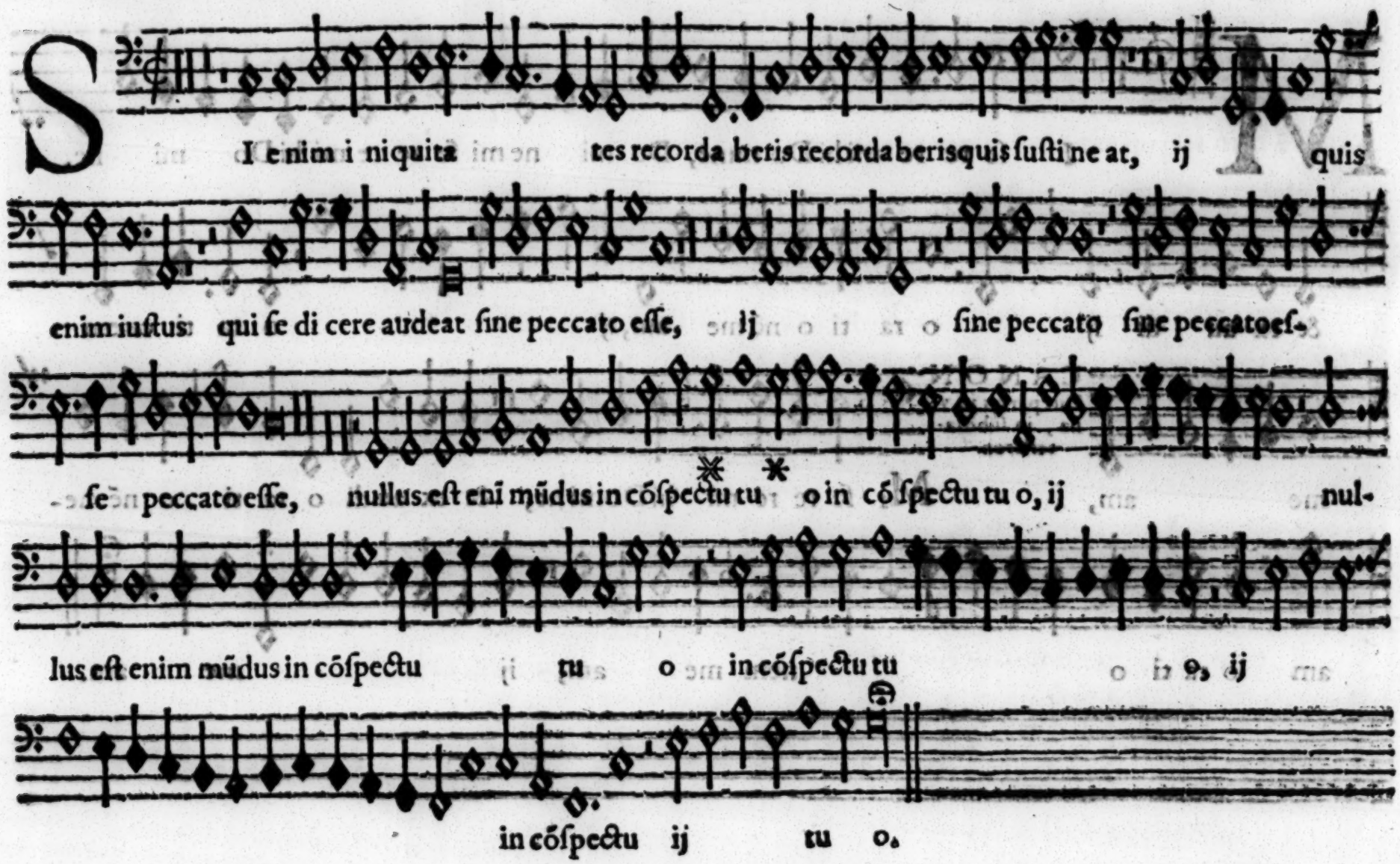
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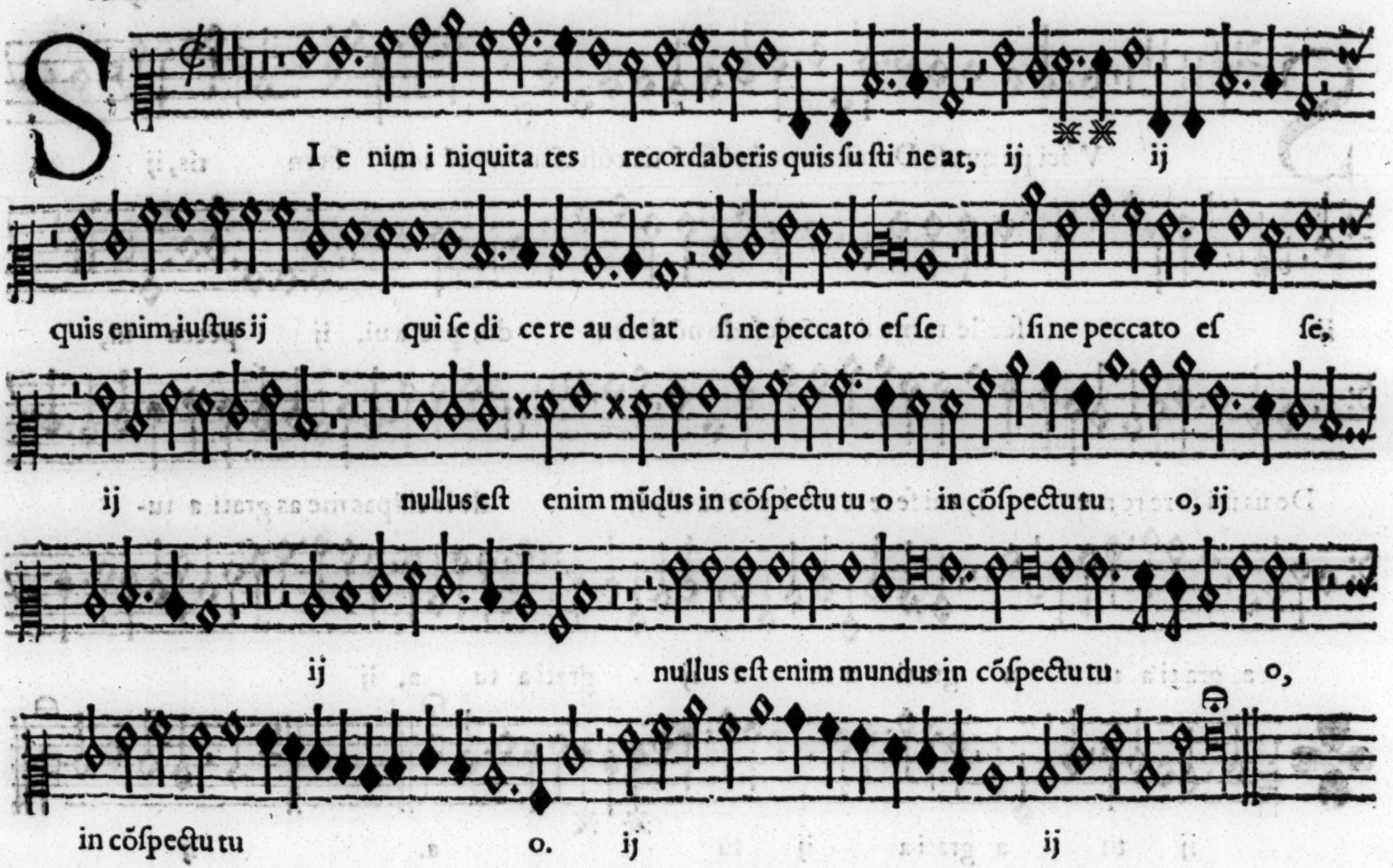

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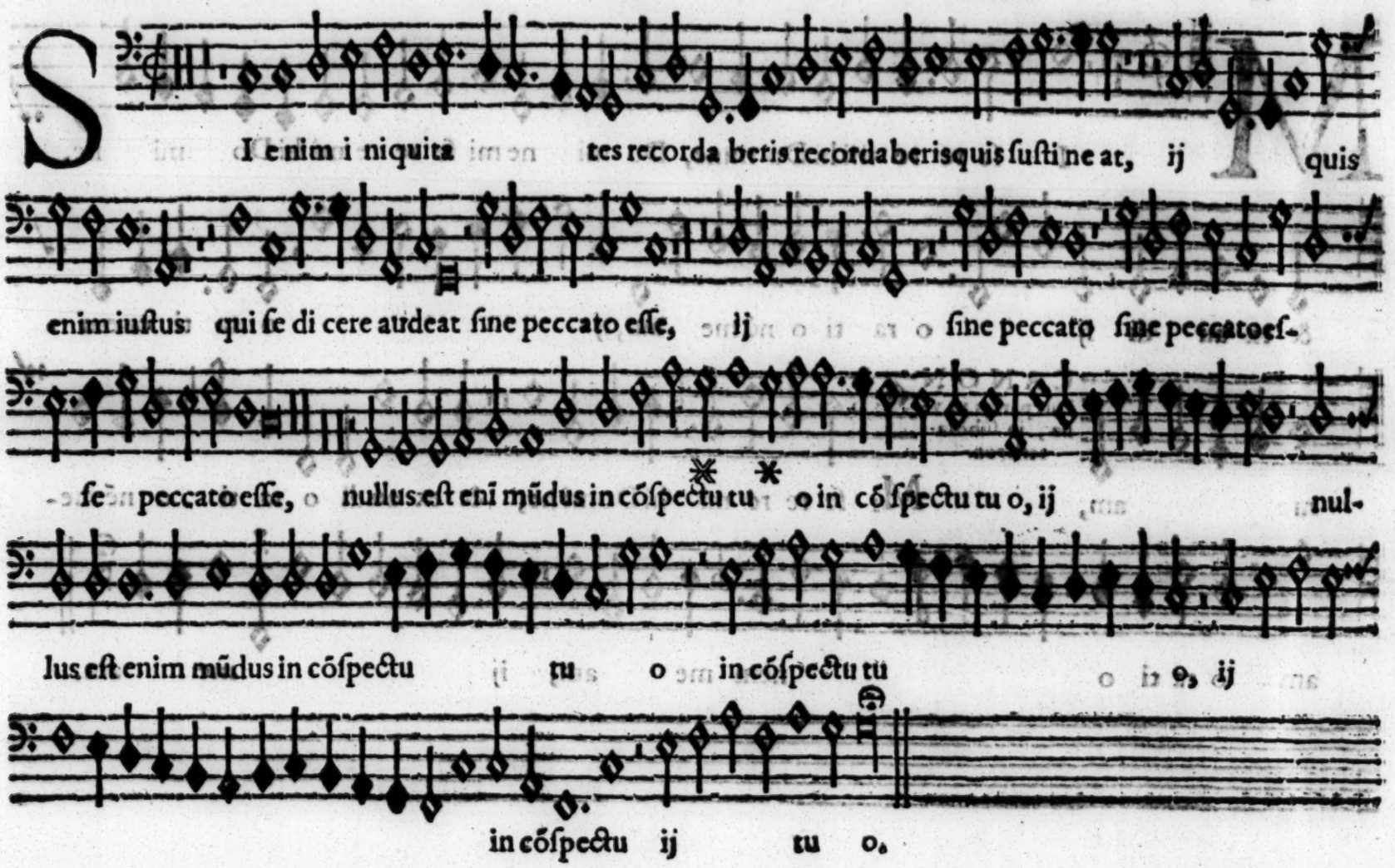

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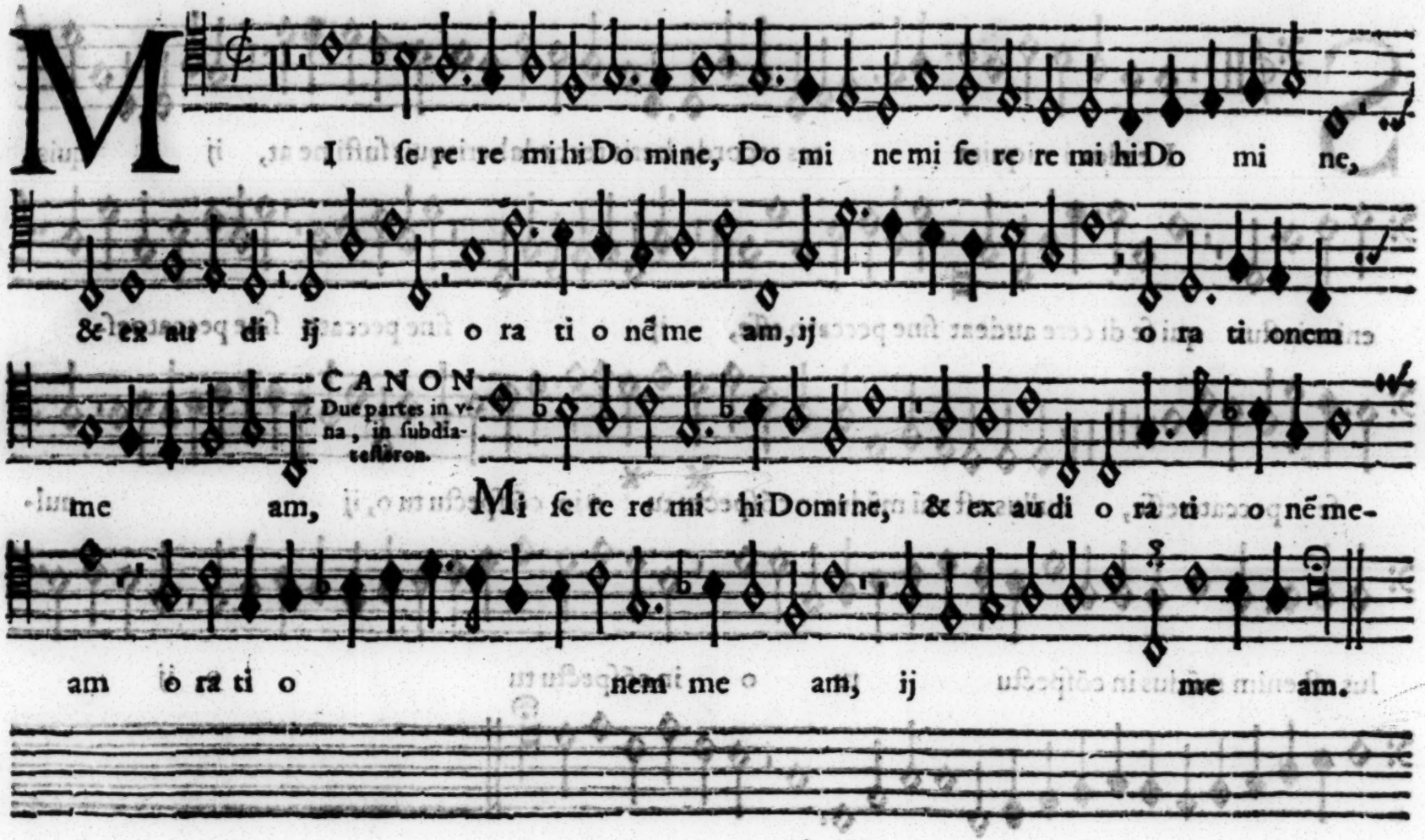

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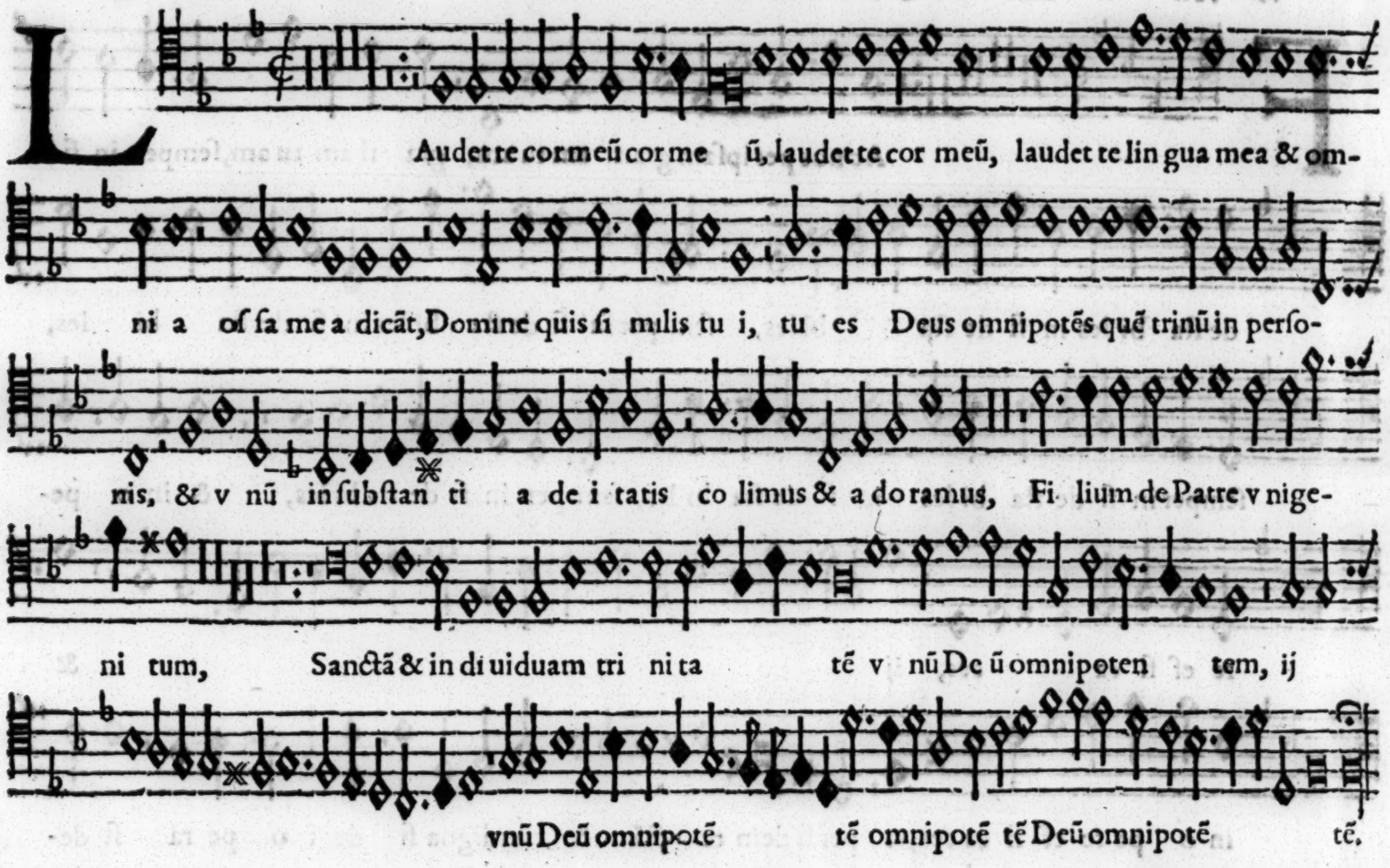

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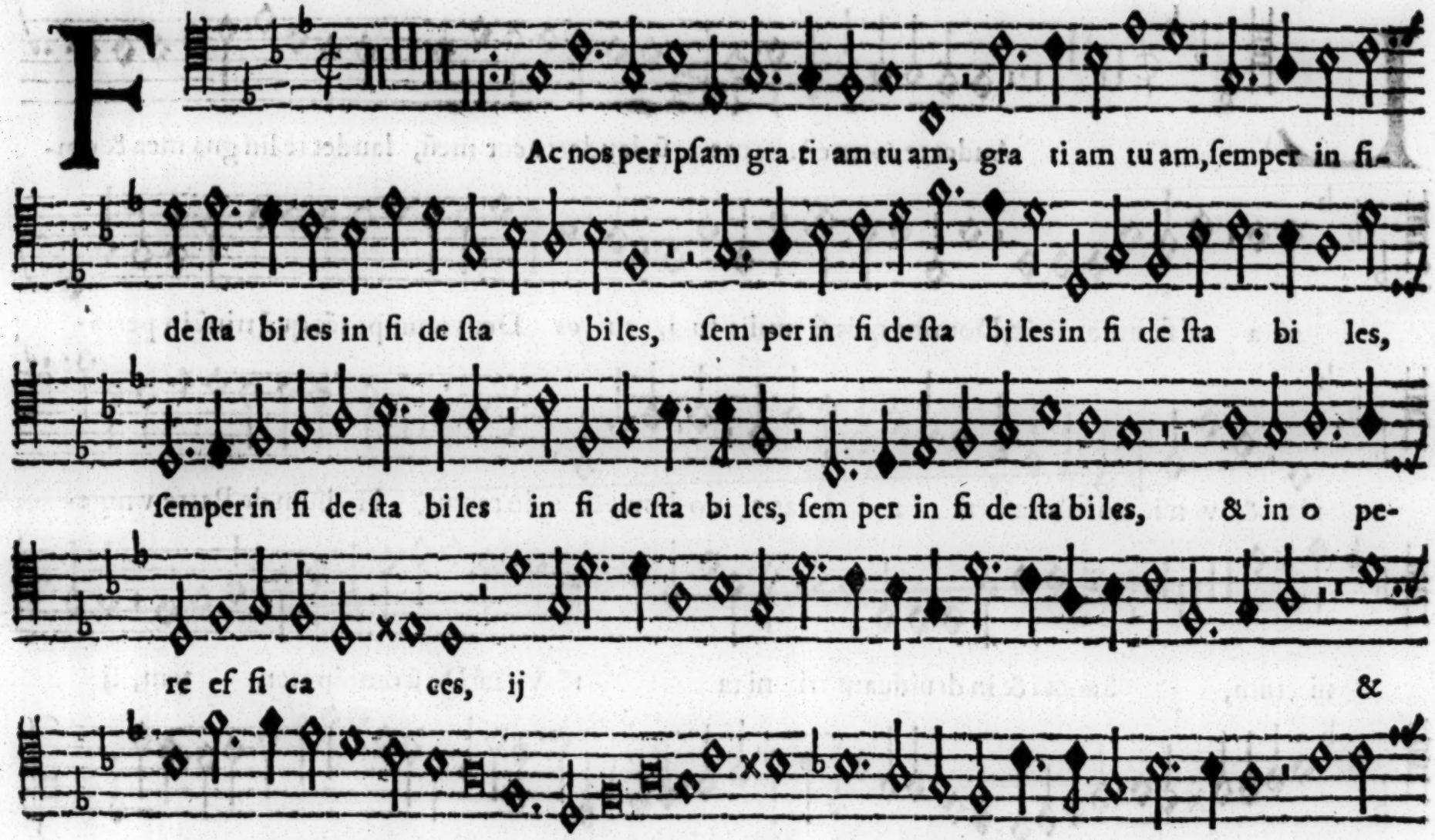

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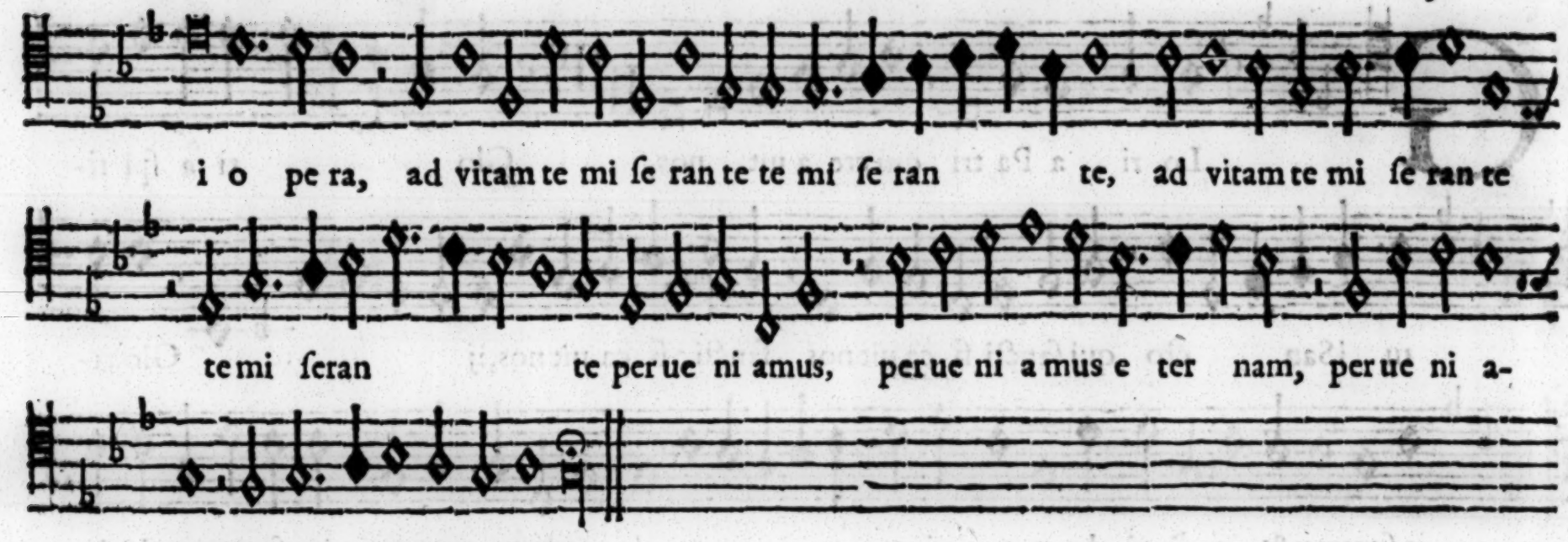

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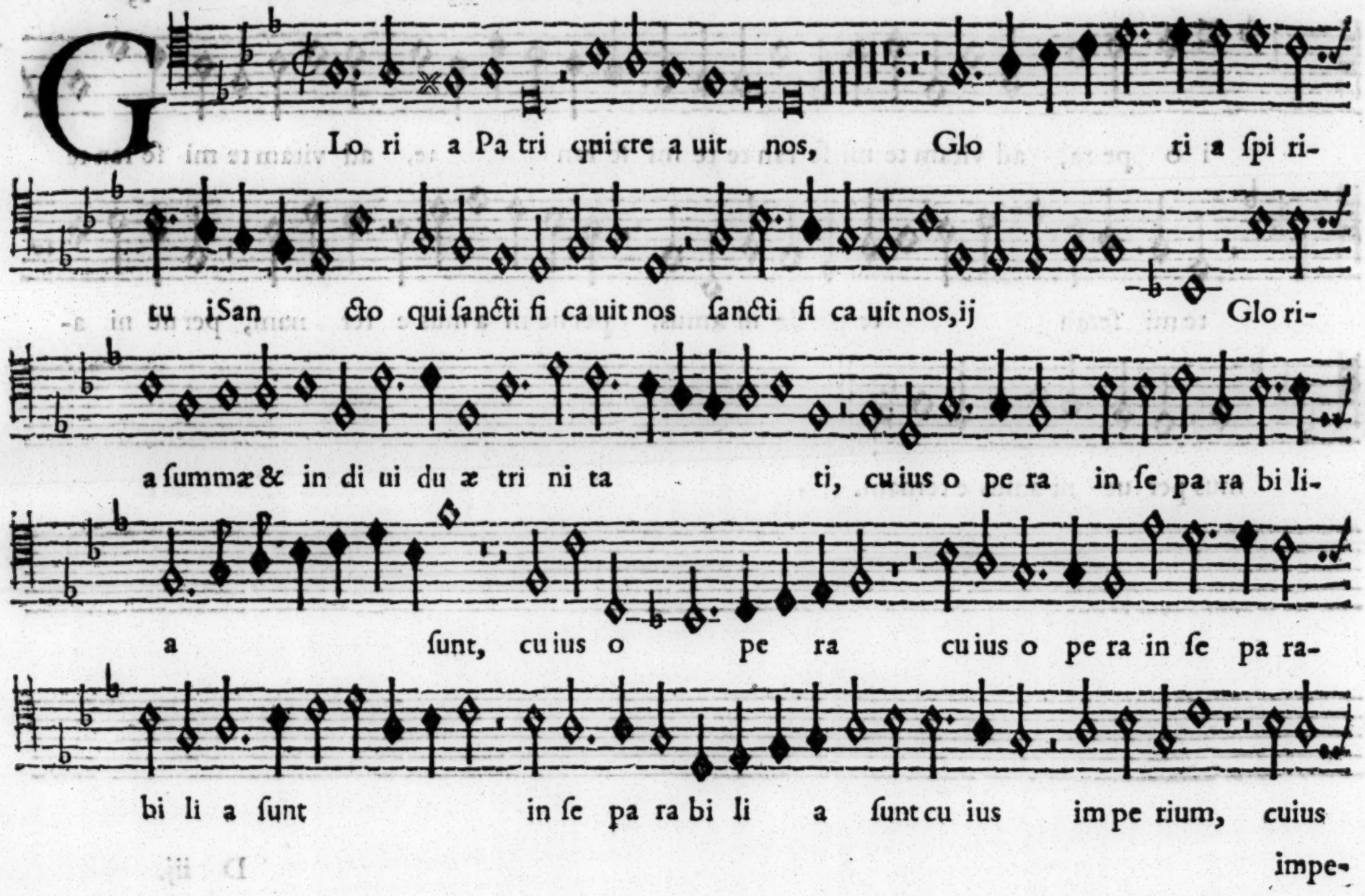

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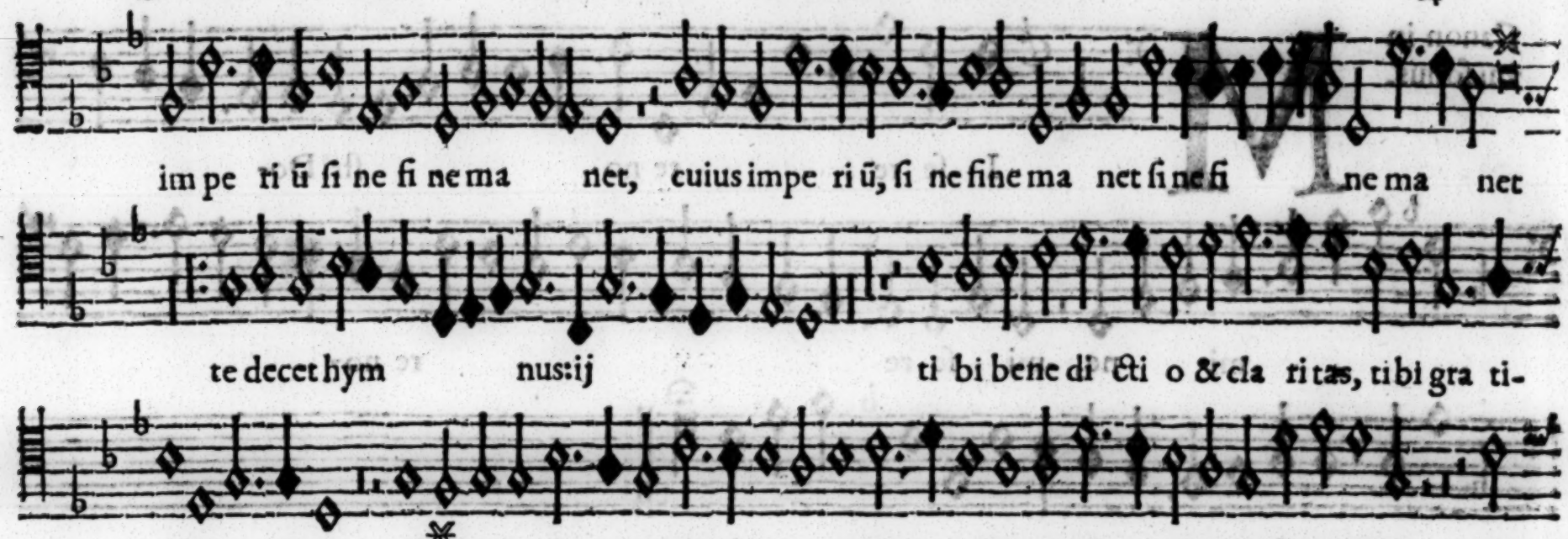

Mi se re re mi hi Do mine, Do mi ne mi se re re mi hi Do mi ne,
& ex au di i j o ra ti o nẽ me am, ij o ra ti o nem
CANON
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me am, Mi ſe re re mi hi Domine, & ex au di o ra ti o nẽ me-
am o ra ti o nem me o am, ij me am.


Audet te cor meũ cor me ũ, laudet te cor meũ, laudet te lin gua mea & om-
ni a oſſa me a dicãt, Domine quis ſi milis tu i, tu es Deus omnipotẽs quẽ trinũ in perſo-
nis, & v nũ in ſubſtan ti a de i tatis co limus & a do ramus, Fi lium de Patre v nige-
ni tum, Sanctã & in di uiduam tri ni ta tẽ v nũ De ũ omnipoten tem, ij
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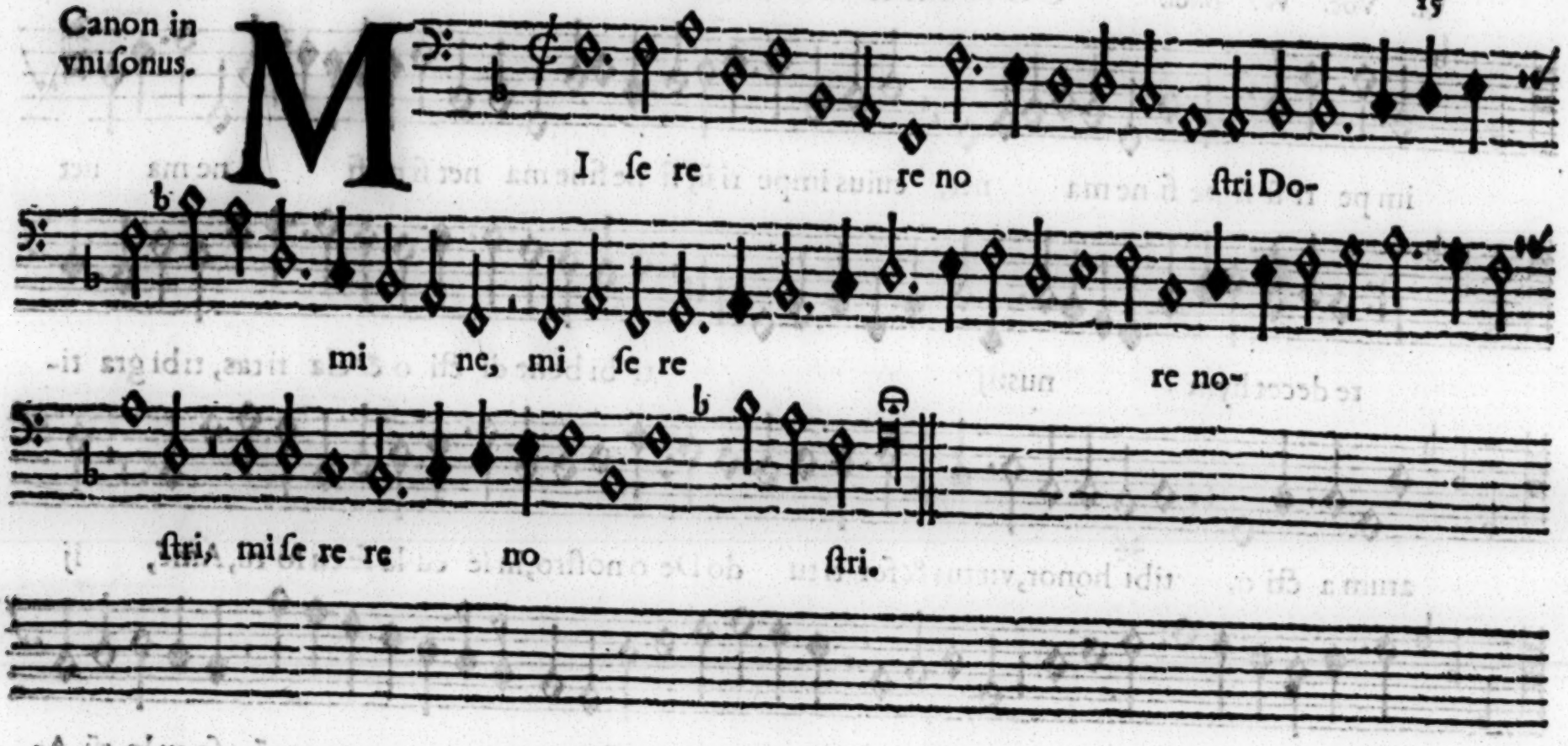

Ac nos per ipſam gra ti am tu am, gra ti am tu am, ſemper in fi-
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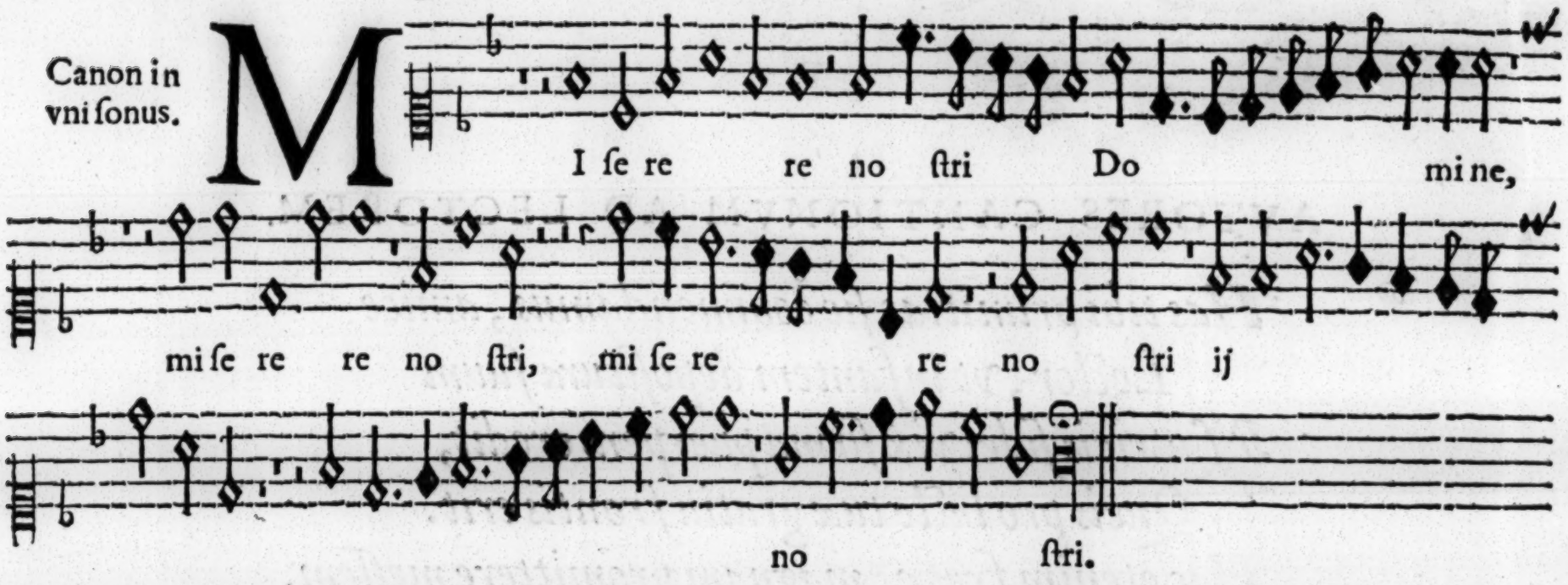

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tu iSan cto qui ſancti fi ca uit nos ſancti fi ca uit nos,ij Glo ri-
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a ſunt, cu ius o pe ra cu ius o pe ra in ſe pa ra-
bi li a ſunt in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt cu ius im pe rium, cuius
impe-


im pe ri ũ ſi ne fi ne ma net, cuius impe ri ũ, ſi ne fine ma net ſi ne fi ne ma net
te decet hym nus: ij ti bi bene di cti o & cla ri tas, tibi gra ti-
arum a cti o, tibi honor, vir tus & for ti tu do De o noſtro, in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ, Amẽ, ij
in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ. Amẽ, A mẽ, ſe cu lo rũ A-
mẽ, ij ſe cu lo rũ, A mẽ.

Canon in vniſonus.



Canon in vni ſonus.



## AVTORES CANTIONVM AD LECTOREM.

*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

# INDEX, IN QVO PRIOR NVMERVS NOTAT, QVOT PARTIVM SIT QVAEQVE CANTIO, POSTERIOR, SITV, & ordine quota sit.

| *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* | *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aspice Domine. | 6. | 1. | Miserere mihi. | 6. | 11. |
| Attollite portas. | 6. | 2. | Miserere nostri. | 7. | 15. |
| Da mihi auxilium, | 6. | 7. | O lux. | 6. | 3. |
| Domine secundum. | 6. | 8. | | | |
| | | | Suscipe quæso. | 7. | 9. |
| Gloria Patri. | 6. | 14. | Si enim. | 7. | 10. |
| Laudate pueri. | 6. | 5. | Tribue Domine. | 6. | 12. |
| | | | Te deprecor. | 6. | 13. |
| Memento homo. | 6. | 6. | | | |

## Canones de duabus cantionibus.

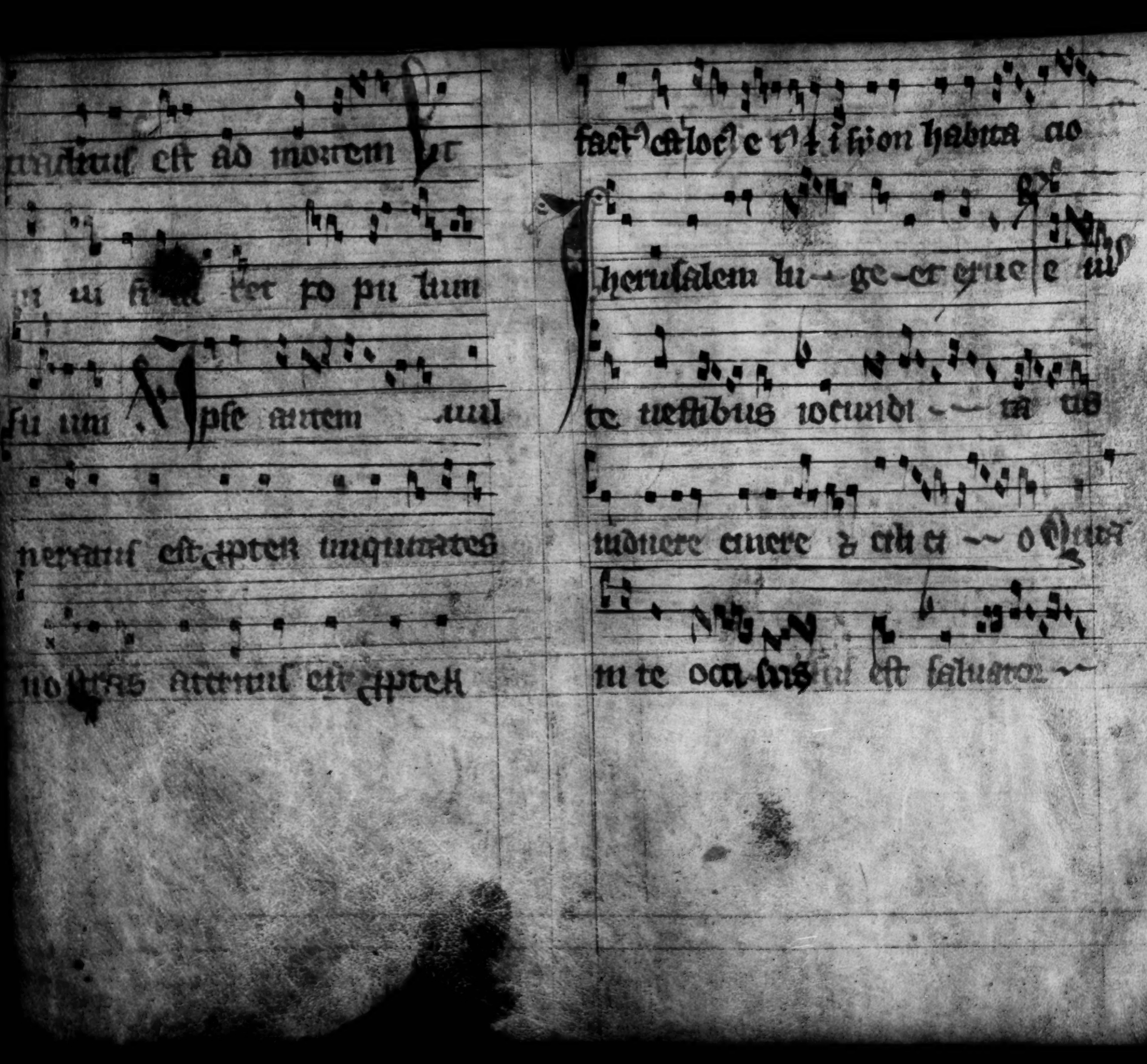
Miserere mihi, quatuor partes in duabus, cum duabus partibus ad placitum.
Miserere nostri, 6. partes in duabus, cum vna parte ad placitum.

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

## Maieſties letters patents to Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde,

*for the printing of muſicke.*

*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokeſellers and other officers miniſters and ſubiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the eſpeciall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the ſcience of muſicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued ſeruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the aſſignes of them and of the ſuruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next enſuing, to imprint any and ſo many as they will of ſet ſonge or ſonges in partes, either in Engliſh, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may ſerue for muſicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwiſe to be either plaid or ſoonge, And that they may rule and cauſe to be ruled by impreſſion any paper to ſerue for printing or pricking of any ſonge or ſonges, and may ſell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any ſonge or ſonges, or any bookes or quieres of ſuch ruled paper imprinted, Alſo we ſtraightly by the ſame forbid all printers bookeſellers ſubiects & ſtrangers, other then as is aforeſaid, to do any the premiſſes, or to bring or cauſe to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any ſonge or ſonges made and printed in any forren countrie, to ſell or put to ſale, vpon paine of our high diſpleaſure, And the offender in any of the premiſſes for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and ſucceſſors fortie ſhllings, and to the ſaid Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their aſſignes & to the aſſignes of the ſuruiuer of thē, all & euery the ſaid bokes papers ſonge or ſonges, VVe haue alſo by the ſame willed & commaunded our printers, maiſters & wardens of the miſterie of ſtacioners, to aſſiſt the ſaid Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their aſſignes for the dewe executing of the premiſſes.*



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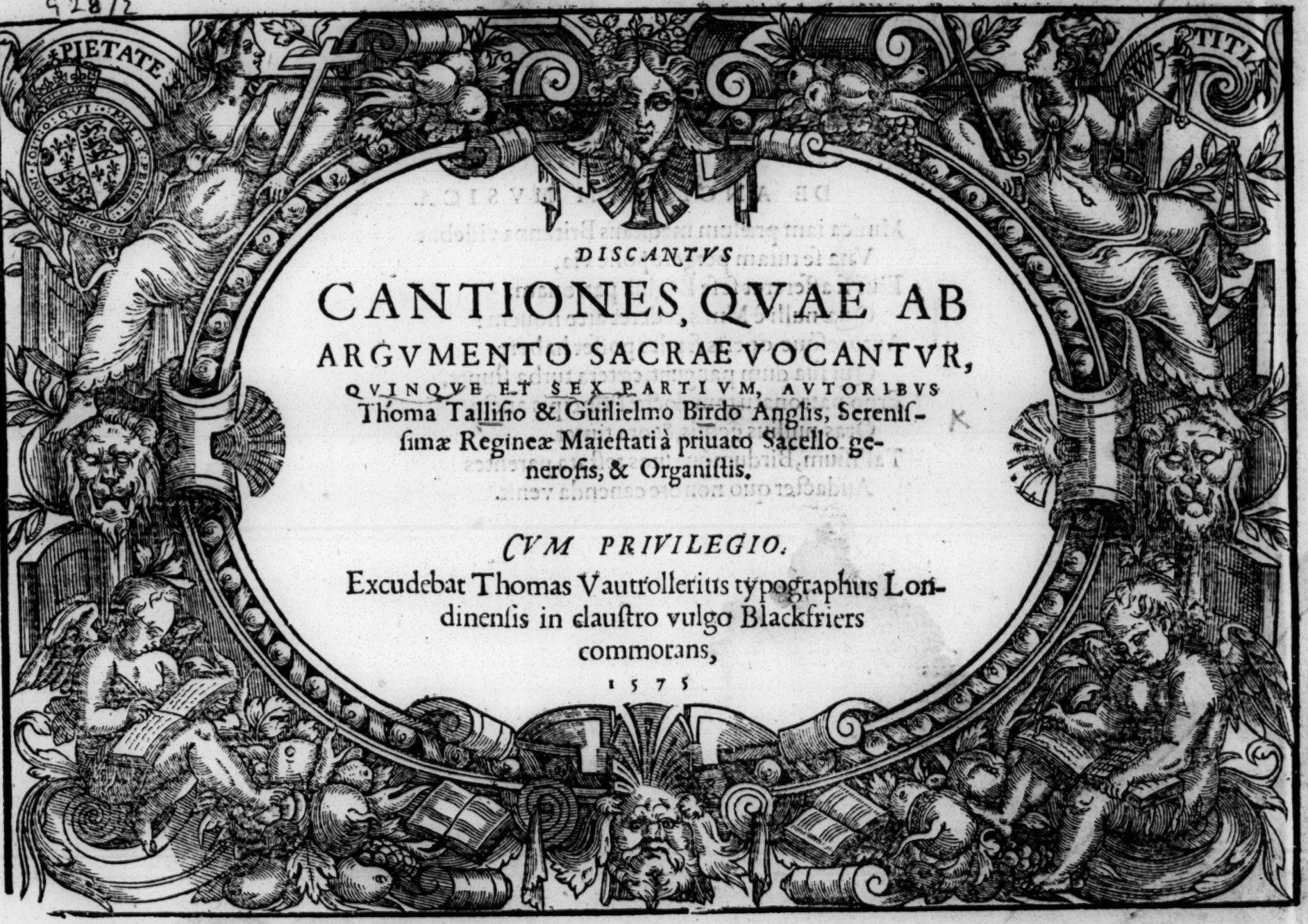
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*DISCANTVS*

# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET SEX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS
Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſſimæ Regineæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

1575

Muſica iam prælum meditans Britanna videbat
Vna ſe tutam pergere poſſe via,
Eius ſi aſſereret ſeſe Regina patronam,
Quæ nulli è Muſis cederet arte nouem:
Autoreſque operis ſi tales poſſet habere,
Qui ſua dum pangunt, cætera turba ſtupet.
Ergo patronatu tam doctæ Principis aucta
Oras nullius gentis, & ora timet.
Talliſium, Birdumque ſuos teſtata parentes
Audacter quo non ore canenda venit.

# SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPI

## ELIZABETHAE DEI GRATIA ANGLIÆ FRANCIÆ

& Hiberniæ Reginæ &c. virtutis & vitæ fortunatum progressum.

*SI nobis res esset, Serenissima Princeps, vel cum ijs, qui artem Musicam, quia non norunt, non probant, vel cum ijs, qui ipsi iudicio ex arte carentes eius præstantiam admirabili sonorum effectu metiuntur: Philosophos, Mathematicos, Rerumpub. architectos aduocaremus, qui eius necessarium Reipub. vsum argumentis & experiẽtia, vel infensissimo Musici nominis hosti extorquerent: Poëtas & allegoricè docẽtes quosdam Physicos citaremus, qui apud homines imperitos illos quidẽ, sed incredibili tamen rei Musicæ admiratione delinitos facile impetrarent, cum ea arte nullam esse aliam quæ de principatu possit contendere. Sed cum apud tuam Maiestatem res agatur quæ delectu tuo iudicium tuũ prodidisti, & canendi peritiã tibi probari, in eo probas omnibus, quod ei arti ita semper regiè incubueris, vt in ea iam egregiè profeceris, & cum summis artificibus comparata, vel vocis elegantia, vel digitorum agilitate facile illis præmineas, satis erit in tua solius scientia & iudicio conquiescere, neque pluribus ad fidem rei faciendam argumentis vti, ne vel dubitando suspitionẽ ementitæ laudis videamur alicui ingenerare, vel nimis curiosa argumentatione, aliquid de tuæ Maiestatis præstanti iudicio detrahere, quasi vel parum considerate eam primo cõplexa fueris vel iam de priori sentẽtia vacillare cœperis, cui si nostrã operã probamus, omnibus eam probatã iri cõfidimus, cũ iudicio tuo ab omnibus tãtum tribuatur. Qua itaque es peritia, Illustrissima Princeps, ad tuam Maiestatem, vt iudicem confugimus, qua clementia vt ad patronam nos recipimus, quæ prolem hanc nostram tua auctoritate sic apud omnes tueare, vt nos ipsos liberalissimo tuo stipendio hactenus aluisti. Confidentiæ nostræ ignoscet Serenissima Maiestas tua, quòd tantam principem sic ausi simus interpellare, cum è solo voluntatis tuæ testimonio pendeat, debeamusne vlterius in hoc genere progredi, an hoc vno libro labores nostros terminare. Deus. opt. Max. Maiestatem tuam diu, incolumiter, fortunatè nobis conseruet.*

TVÆ MAIESTATIS
humillimi Seruientes. Tho.
Tall. & Guil. Birdus.



T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII,
## ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.

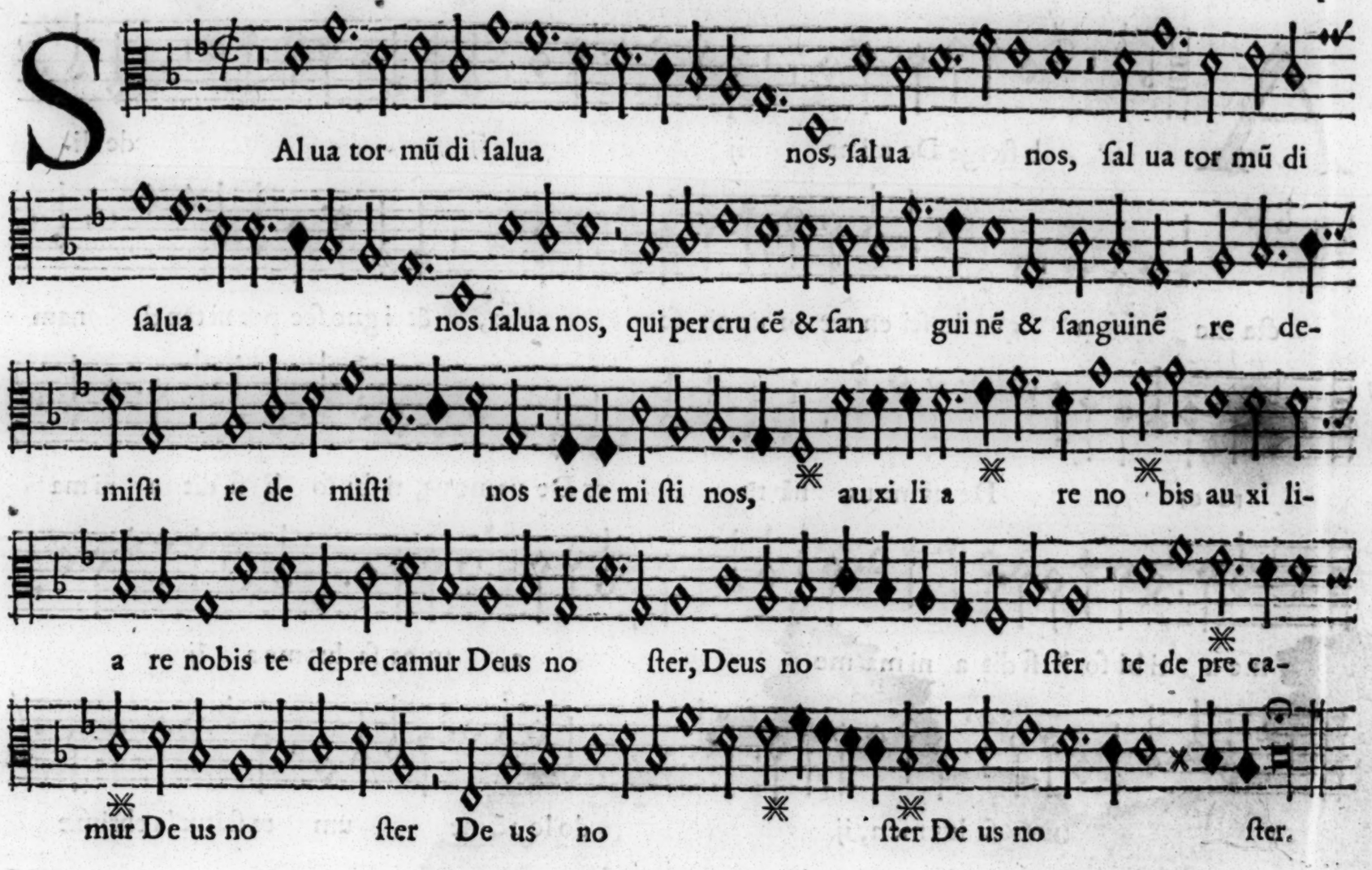
*QVanti ſit precij res Muſica, quamq; regendis*
*Inſanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ ſedem cuiuſlibet eſſe,*
*E quibus efficitur Muſica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Reſpublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Muſica ſedem*
*Obtineat, primo ſitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quod & inſignes medici, qui ſana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conſeruet, mentem Muſica ſana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philoſophis annoſa vetuſtas*
*Conſpirans hanc eſt tota ſequuta viam.*
*Sed neque poſteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à ſe prorſus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum diſcrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet eſſe ſibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Muſica iure,*
*Vt quò quiſque ſapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo ſummo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maieſtas ætatis gloria noſtræ*
*Hanc in delicijs ſemper habere ſolet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipſa etiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel ſemper amarunt,*
*Auſæ ſunt ſcriptis nobilitare ſuis.*
*Illuſtres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere ſcienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum noſtra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, ſed ſemper paſſa latere ſuos,*
*Talliſium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum diſcutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt ſic,*
*Iudicio patriæ ſiquid honoris ineſt,*
*Nomen honoratum ſibi promereatur vterq;,*
*Muſica quà magnum peruia nomen habet,*
*Quorum iudicio fidens ſe pandit apertè*
*Muſica, quam Oceani Regia diues alit.*

Richardus Mulcaſterus.

# IN EANDEM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI MVSICAM.

Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Musica præcones cerneret esse sui,
Illorumque opera per summa cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce sonare,
Edere & immensæ posteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuisse modos,
Temporis Alphonsum nostri Phænica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet esse sua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impressum nomen habere libro,
Penè subirasci cœpit, nostrosque Britannos
Indignos donis insimulare suis.
Quos certò scierat multum potuisse canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent tristem finire querelam,
Tallisius magno dignus honore senex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magistrum,
Promittunt posthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendosque suos cantus, sua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis passus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio sint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, si pueris rudibus censura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata stylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet esse suos
Hæc habui, venerande senex, mihi magne magister,
Danda tibi mentis conscia signa meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis nostræ spes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum sic orno magistrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod si quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Musica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita nostræ,
Quin debere mihi se quoque Musa putet.
Interea, mihi dum succrescit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi sint bona signa boni.

*Ferdinandus Richardsonus.*


Al ua tor mũ di ſalua nos, ſal ua nos, ſal ua tor mũ di
ſalua nos ſalua nos, qui per cru cẽ & ſan gui nẽ & ſanguinẽ re de-
miſti re de miſti nos re de mi ſti nos, au xi li a re no bis au xi li-
a re nobis te depre camur Deus no ſter, Deus no ſter te de pre ca-
mur De us no ſter De us no ſter De us no ſter.

A bſterge Do mi ne ij ij de li-
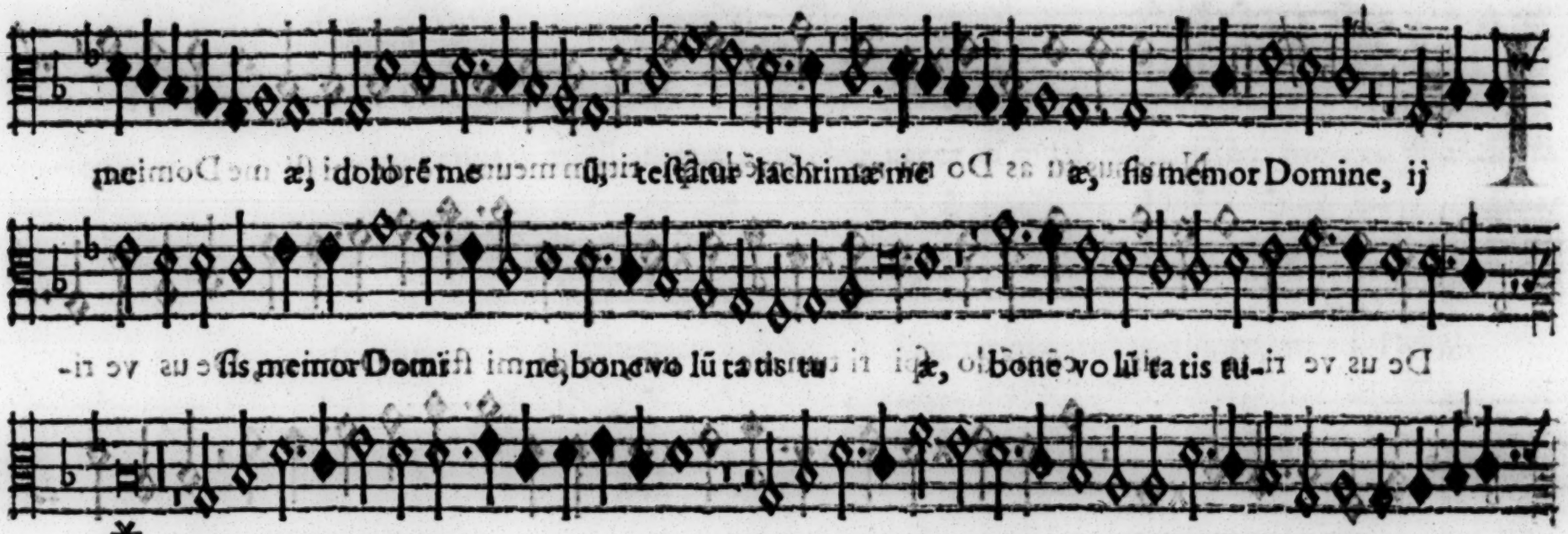
ćta me a quæ in ſci en ter iu uenis fe ci, & i gno ſce pœ ni ten ti, nam
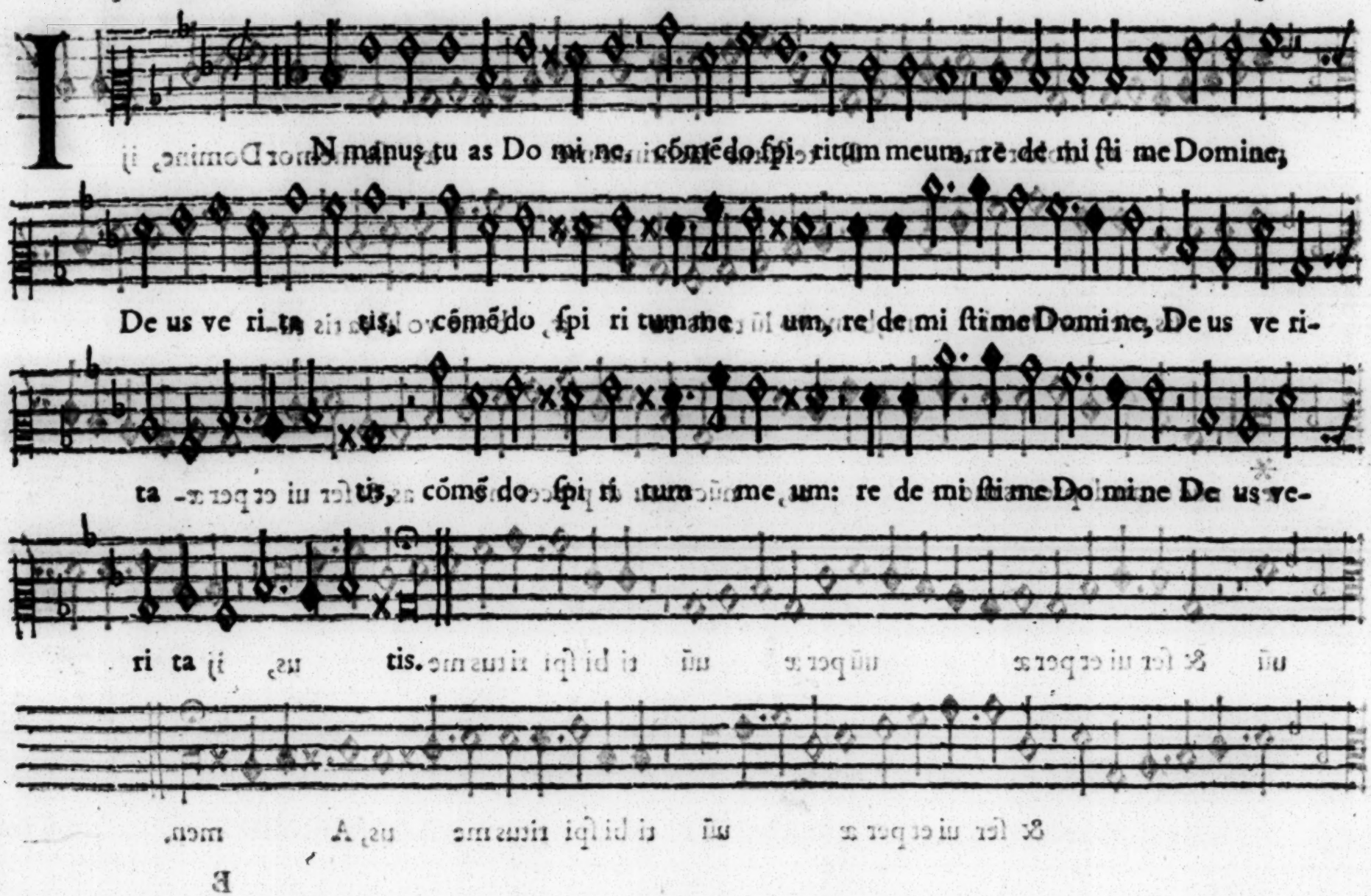
tu es De us me us, nã tu es De us me us, ti bi ſo li fi dit a ni ma

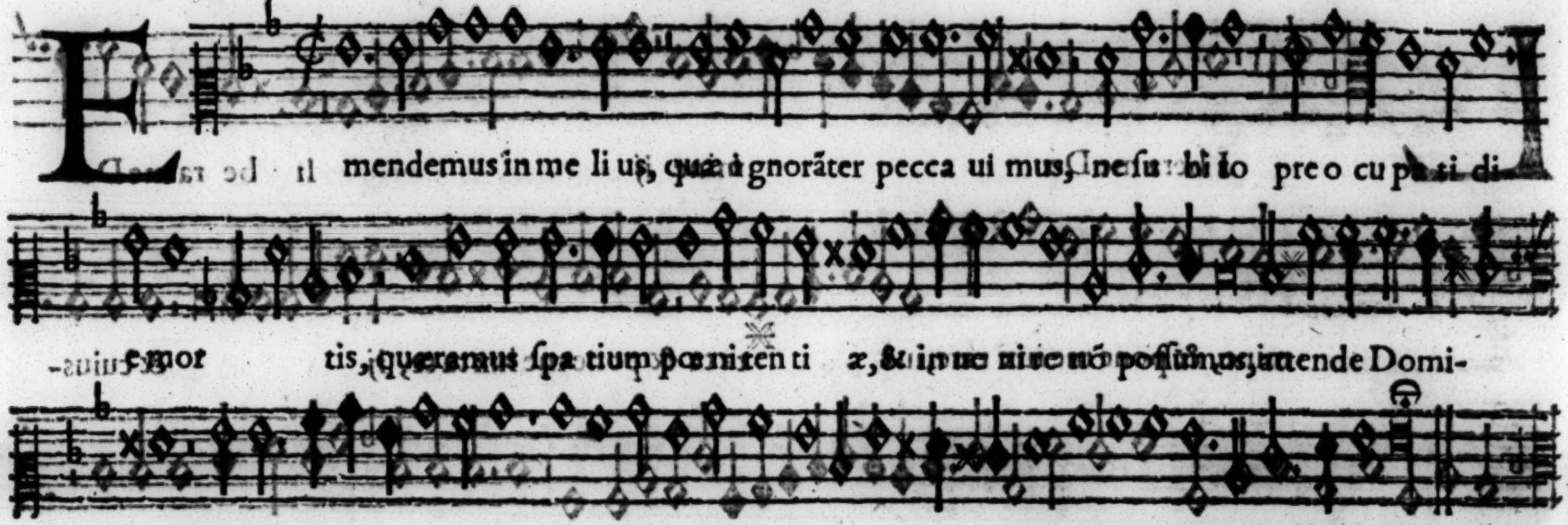
me a ti bi ſo li fi dit a ni ma me a, tu es ſa lus me a ij

tu es ſa lus me a, ij do lo rẽ me um te ſtãtur la chrimæ

meæ


mei æ, dolore me ti, testatur lachrima me æ, fis memor Domine, ij
fis mei mor Domi ne, bone vo lũ ta tis tu æ, bone vo lũ ta tis tu-
æ, nũc exau di preces me as, nũc exau di preces me as & ſer ui et per æ-
uũ & ſer ui et per æ uũ per æ uũ ti bi ſpi ritus me us, ij
& ſer ui et per æ uũ ti bi ſpi ritus me us, A men.


IN manus tu as Do mi ne, cõmẽdo ſpi ritum meum, re de mi ſti me Domine,
De us ve ri ta tis, cõmẽdo ſpi ri tum me um, re de mi ſti me Domine, De us ve ri-
ta tis, cõmẽdo ſpi ri tum me um: re de mi ſti me Domine De us ve-
ri ta tis.


E mendemus in me li us, quæ ignorãter pecca ui mus, ne ſu bi to pre o cu pa ti di
mor tis, quæramus ſpa tium po ni ten ti æ, & in ue nire nõ poſſi mus, nisi tende Domi-
ne, & mi ſe re re, qui a peccauimus ti bi
Secunda pars
Ad iuua nos Deus ſa lu taris noſter, ij & propter hono-
-o rẽ no minis tu i, li be ranos ij li be ra nos, li be ra nos

Li be ra me Do-

mine, & pone me iuxta te, & cuius-

uis man pugnet cõtra me pugnet cõtra me cõ

Secunda pars.

tra me. A Di es mei trã si-

runt

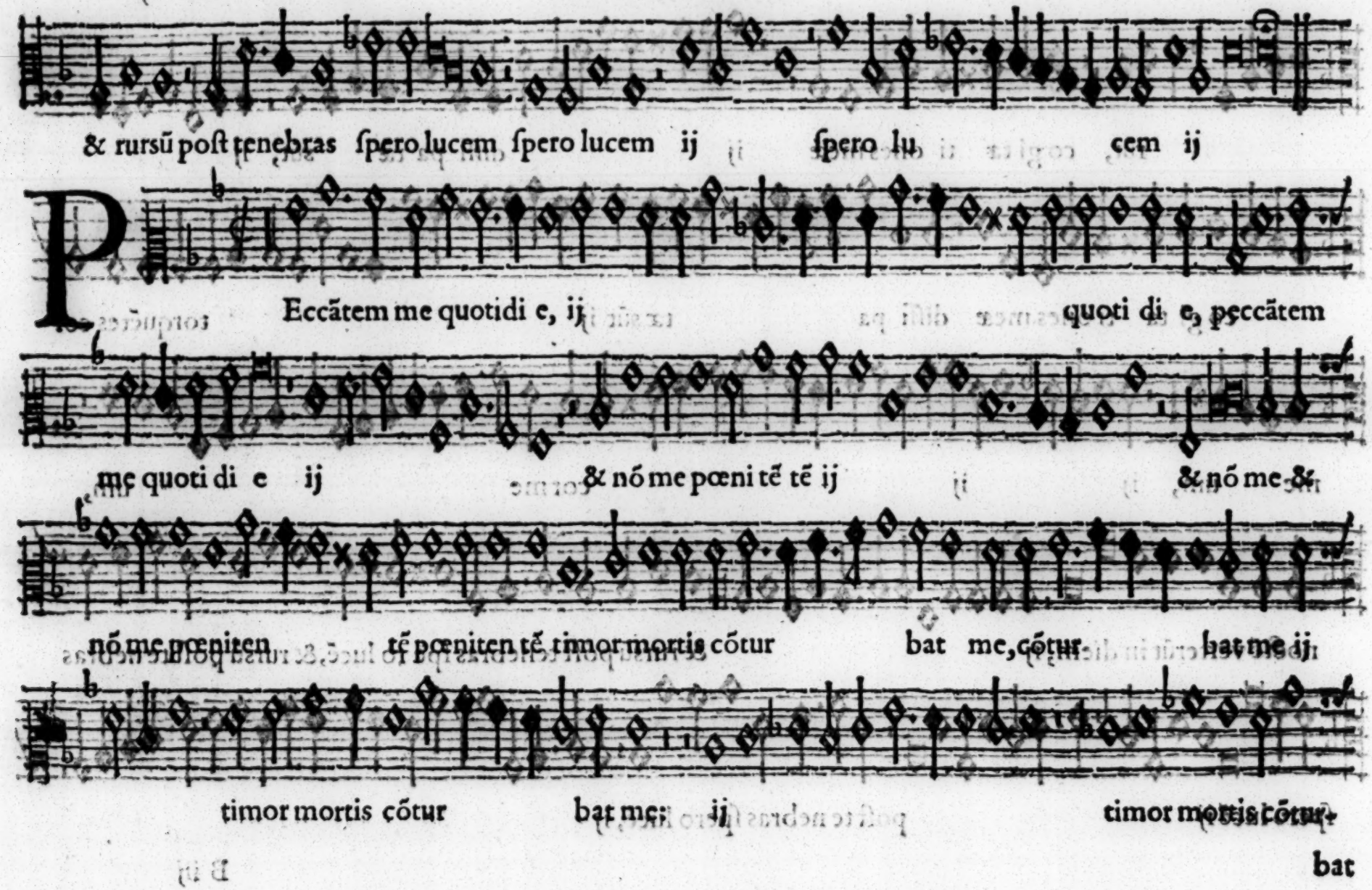
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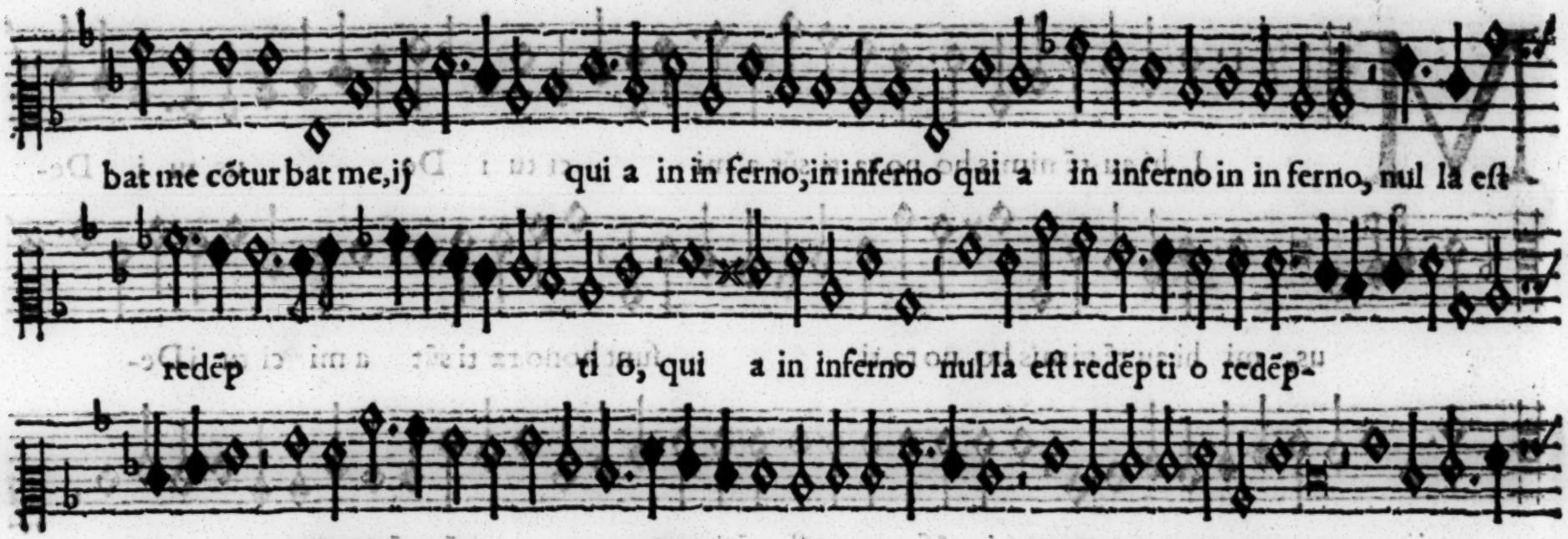
cogi ta ti onesmeæ diffi pa tæ sũt ij torquẽtes cor-

me um, ij ij cor me um,

noctẽ verterũt in diem, ij & rursũ poſt tenebras ſpe ro lucẽ, & rursũ poſt te nebras

ſperolucẽ ij poſt te nebras ſpero lucẽ, ij


& rursũ poſt tenebras ſpero lucem ſpero lucem ij ſpero lu cem ij
Eccãtem me quotidi e, ij quoti di e, peccãtem
me quoti di e ij & nõ me pœni tẽ tẽ ij & nõ me &
nõ me pœniten tẽ pœniten tẽ timor mortis cõtur bat me, cõtur bat me ij
timor mortis cõtur bat me: ij timor mortis cõtur
bat


bat me cõtur bat me, ij qui a in in ferno, in inferno qui a in inferno in in ferno, nul la eſt-
redẽp ti o, qui a in inferno nul la eſt redẽp ti o redẽp-
ti o: nulla eſt redẽp ti o redẽp ti o ij miſe re re me i De us, ij
& ſalua me, ij miſe re re me i Deus, & ſalua me ij ſalua
me: miſere re me i Deus, & ſalua me, miſe re re me i De us, ij & ſal ua me. ij
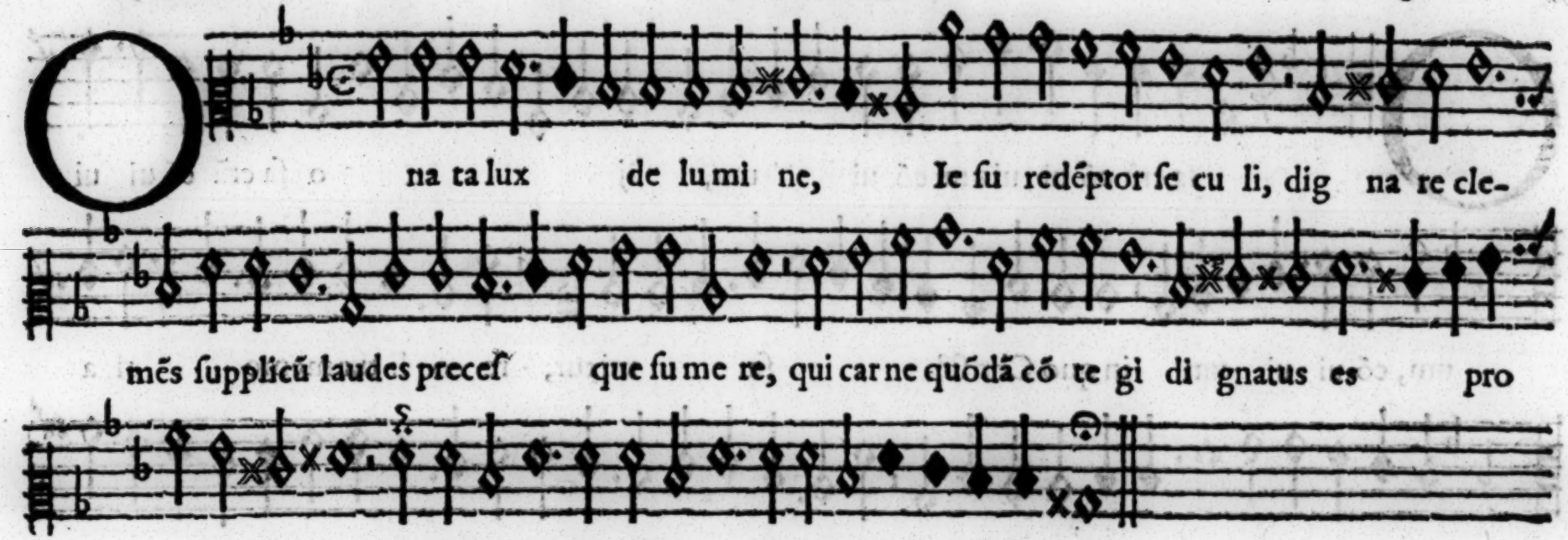
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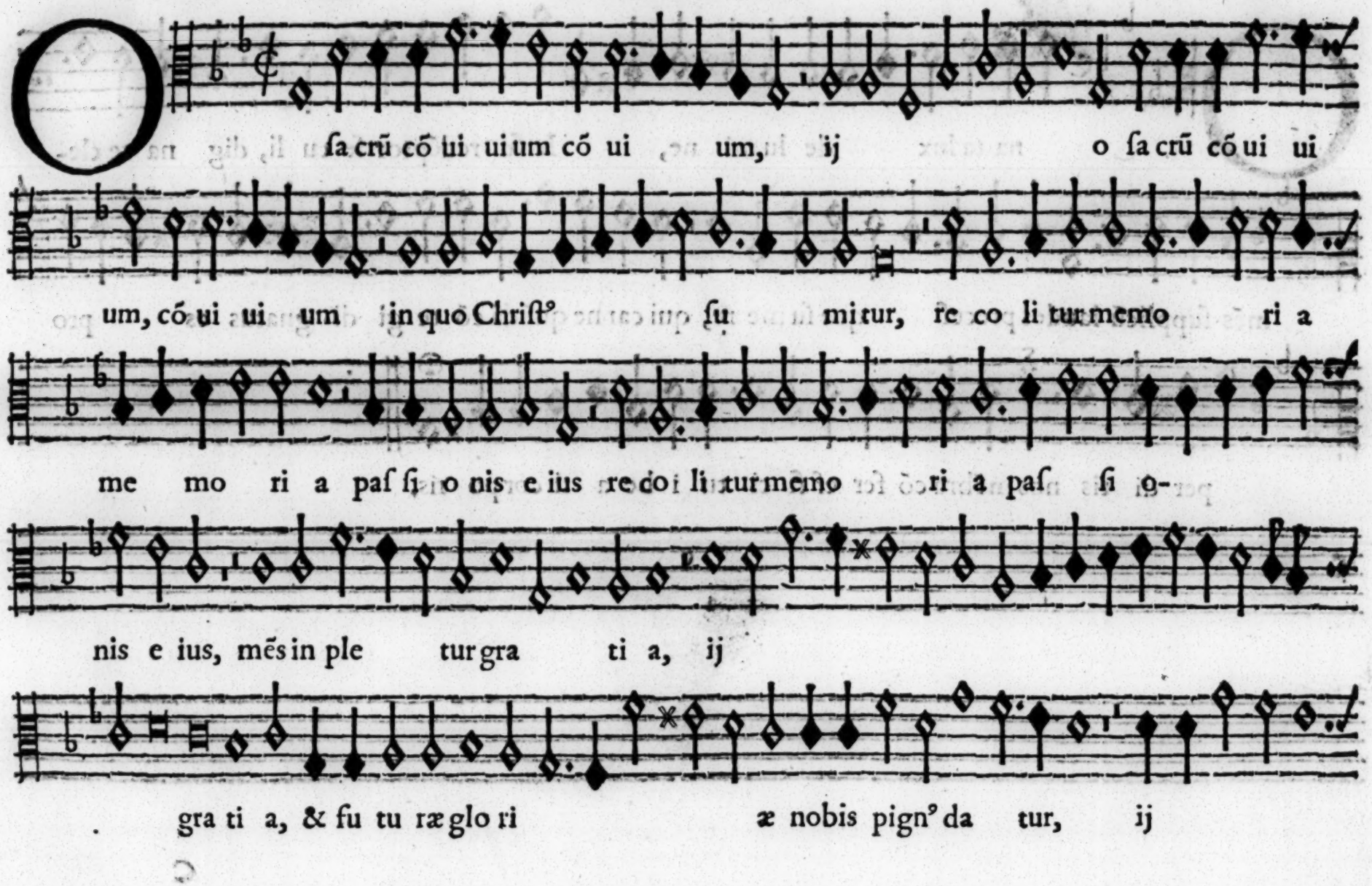
us, mi hi au tẽ nimis ho no ra ti sunt hono ra ti sũt a mi ci tu i De-

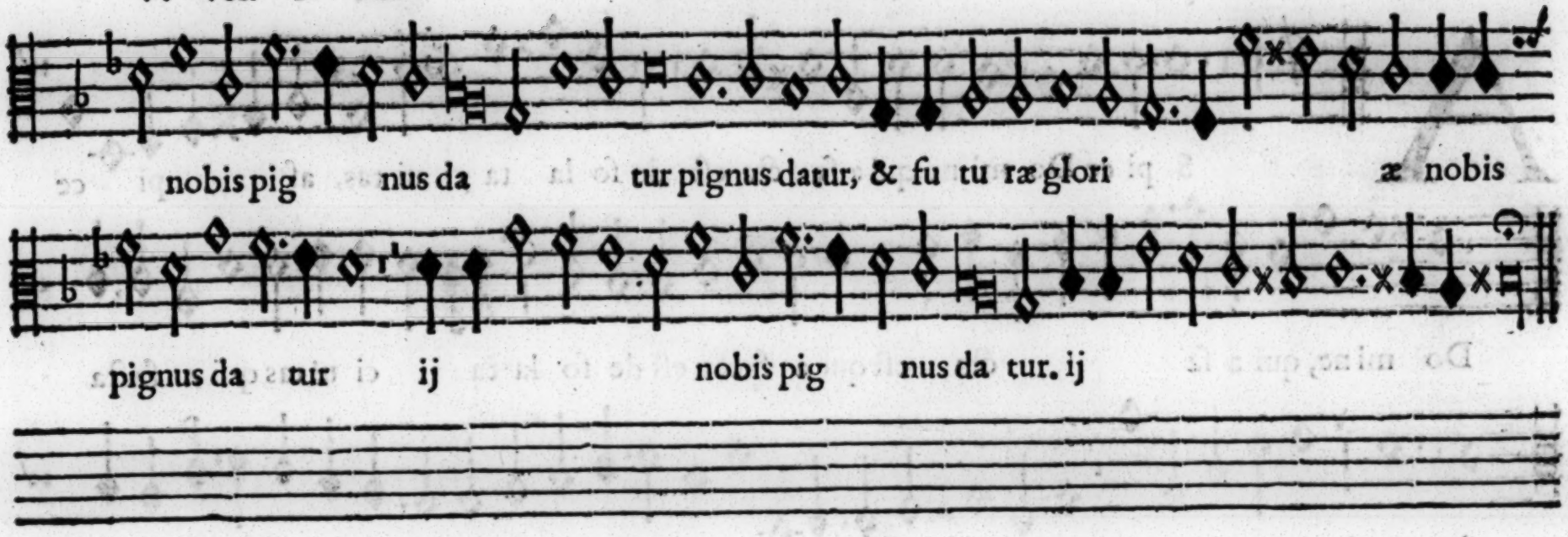
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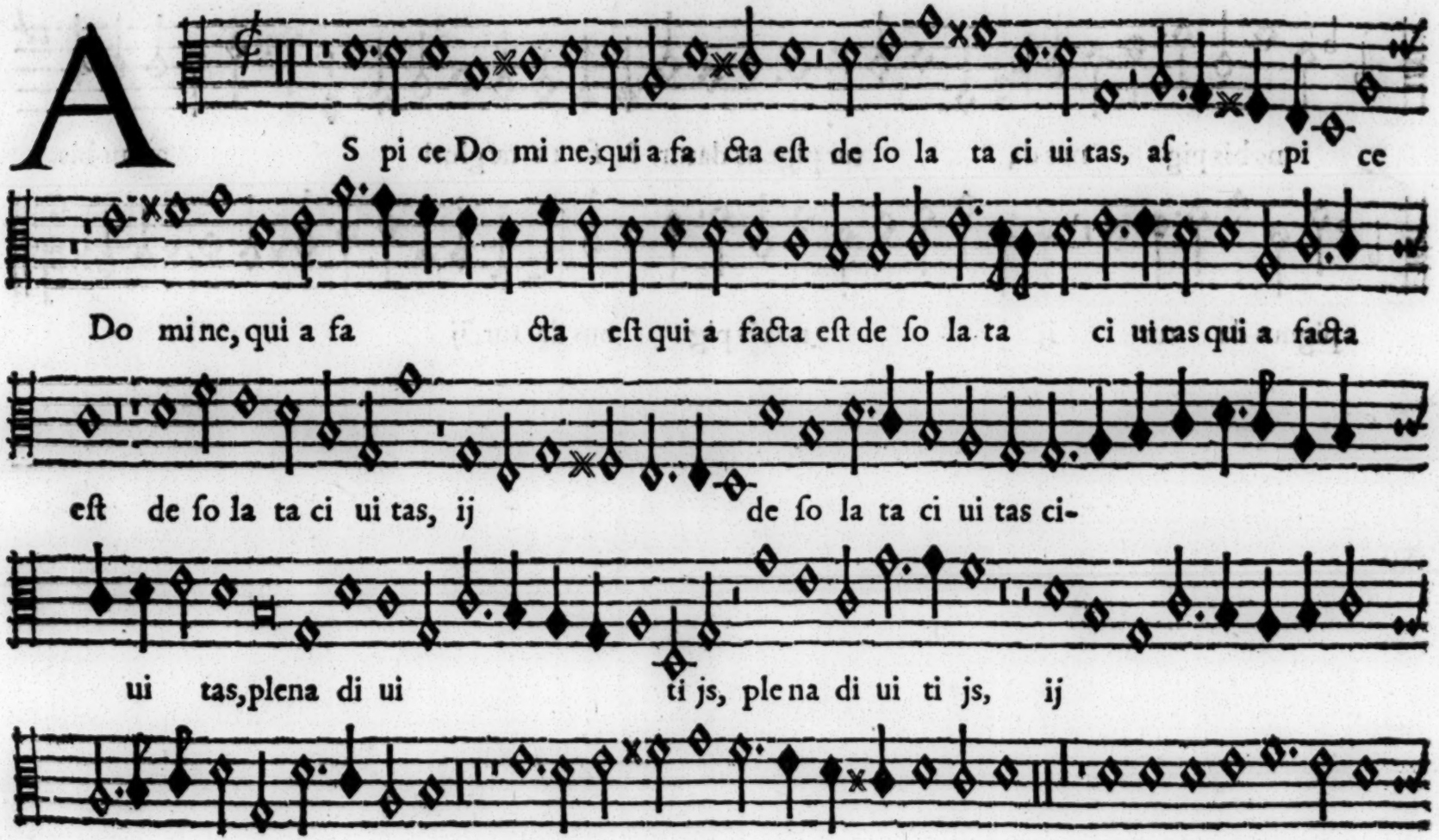
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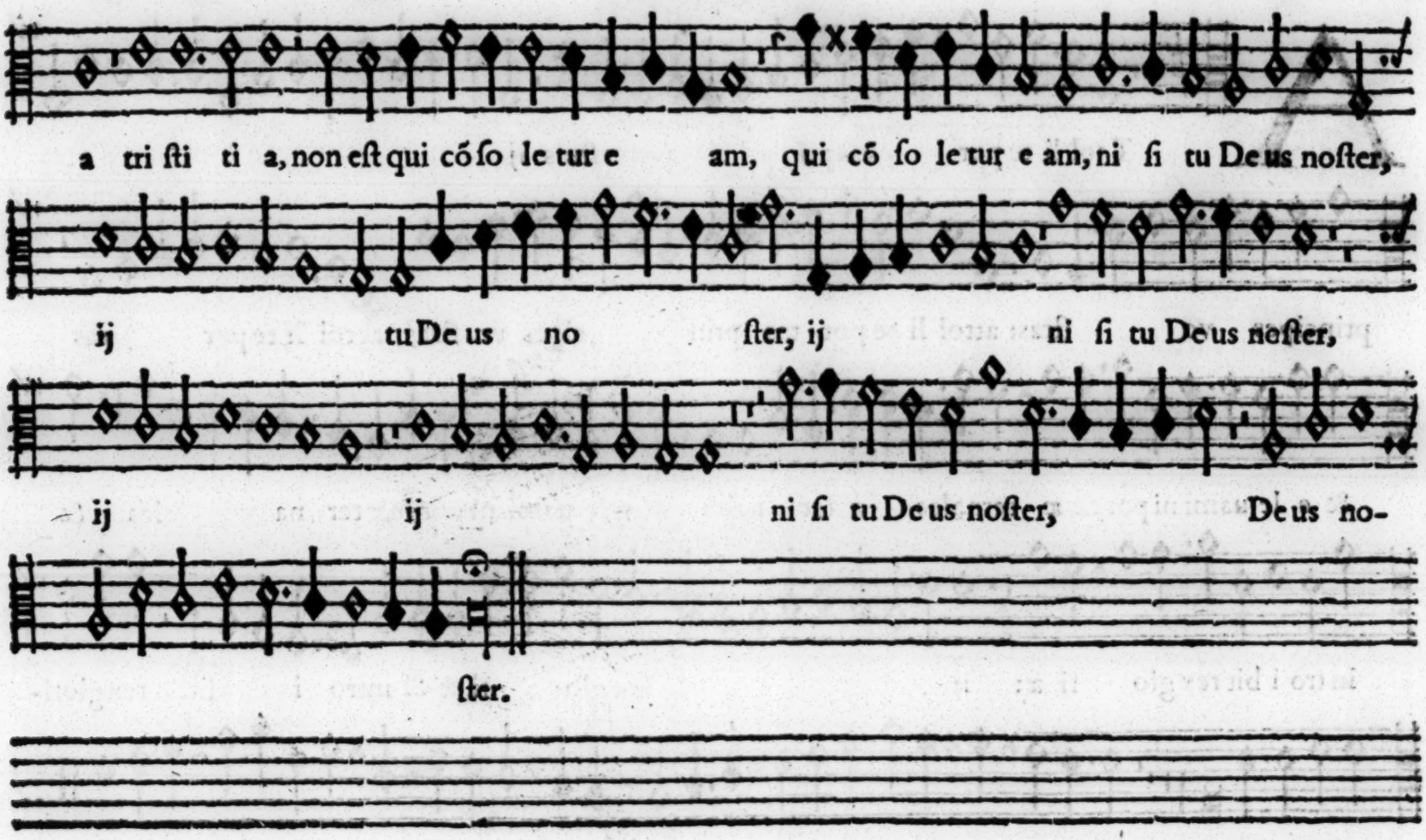
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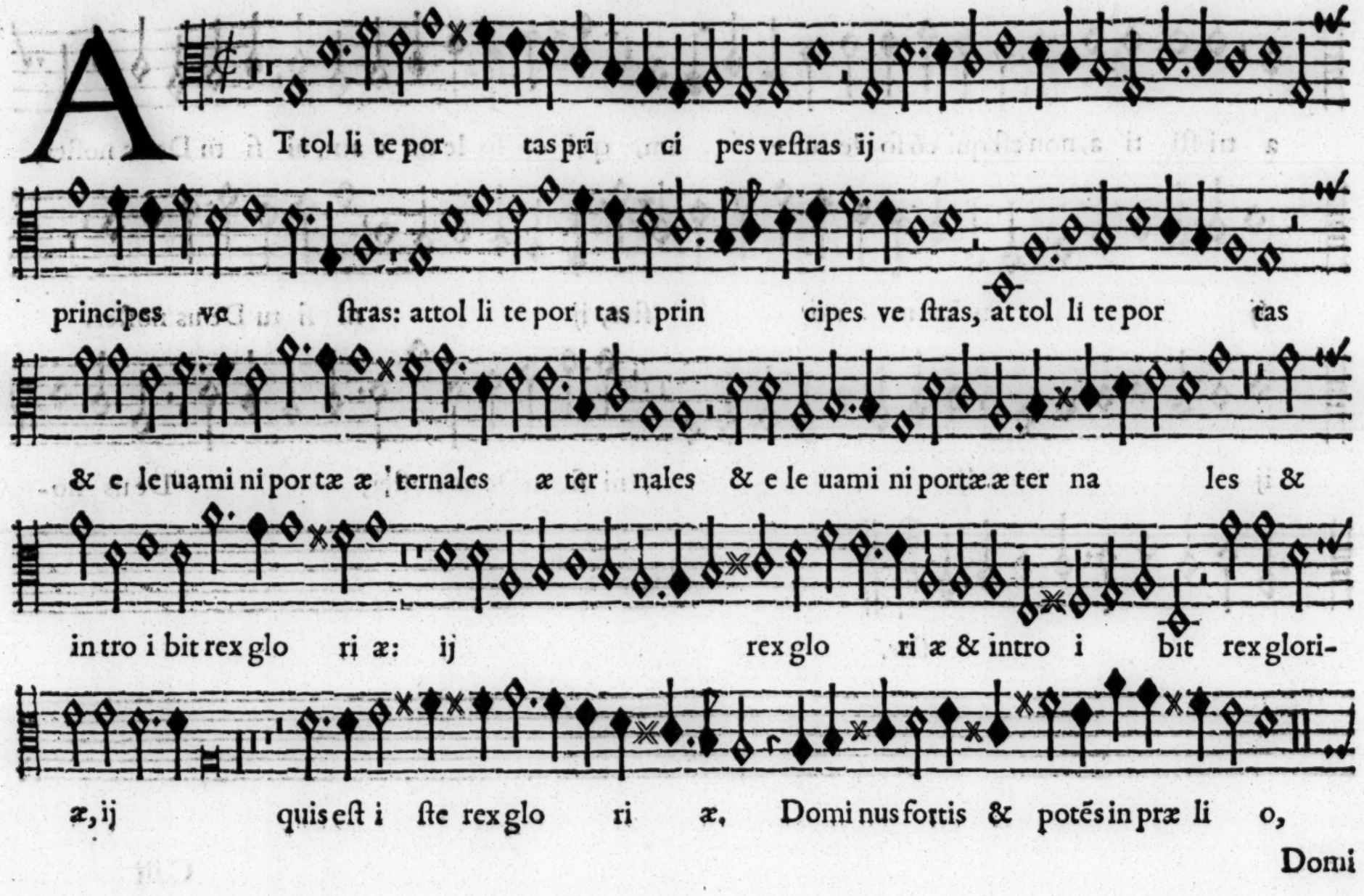

O
na ta lux de lu mi ne, Ie ſu redẽptor ſe cu li, dig na re cle-
mẽs ſupplicũ laudes preceſ que ſu me re, qui car ne quódã cõ te gi di gnatus es pro
per di tis nos mẽbra cõ fer ef fi ci tu i be a ti corpo ris.


O sacrũ cõ ui uium cõ ui um, ij o sacrũ cõ ui ui
um, cõ ui ui um in quo Christ° su mitur, re co li tur memo ri a
me mo ri a pas si o nis e ius re co li tur memo ri a pas si o-
nis e ius, mẽs in ple tur gra ti a, ij
gra ti a, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ nobis pign° da tur, ij


nobis pig nus da tur pignus datur, & fu tu ræ glori æ nobis
pignus da tur ij nobis pig nus da tur. ij

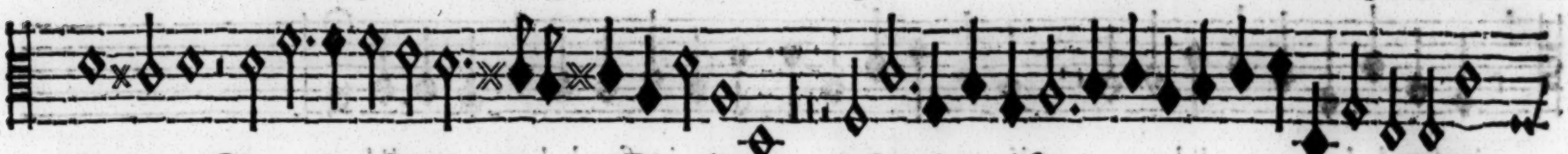

A S pi ce Do mi ne, qui a fa cta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, aſ pi ce
Do mi ne, qui a fa cta eſt qui a facta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas qui a facta
eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, ij de ſo la ta ci ui tas ci-
ui tas, plena di ui ti js, ple na di ui ti js, ij
ſe det in tri ſti ti a, ſe det in tri ſti ti-


a tri sti ti a, non est qui cō so le tur e am, qui cō so le tur e am, ni si tu De us nos ter,
ij tu De us no ster, ij ni si tu De us nos ter,
ij ij ni si tu De us nos ter, De us no-
ster.


ATtol li te por tas prī ci pes veſtras ij
principes ve ſtras: attol li te por tas prin cipes ve ſtras, attol li te por tas
& e le uami ni por tæ æ ternales æ ter nales & e le uami ni portæ æ ter na les &
intro i bit rex glo ri æ: ij rex glo ri æ & intro i bit rex glori-
æ, ij quis eſt i ſte rex glo ri æ, Domi nus fortis & potēs in præ li o,
Domi



Dominus vir tutum ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ, ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ, Dominus vir tutum ip ſe eſt rex



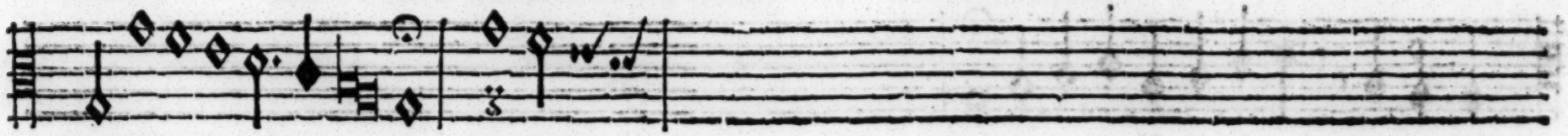
glo ri æ. Glo ri a Pa tri & Fi li o, & Spi ri tu i ſan cto &
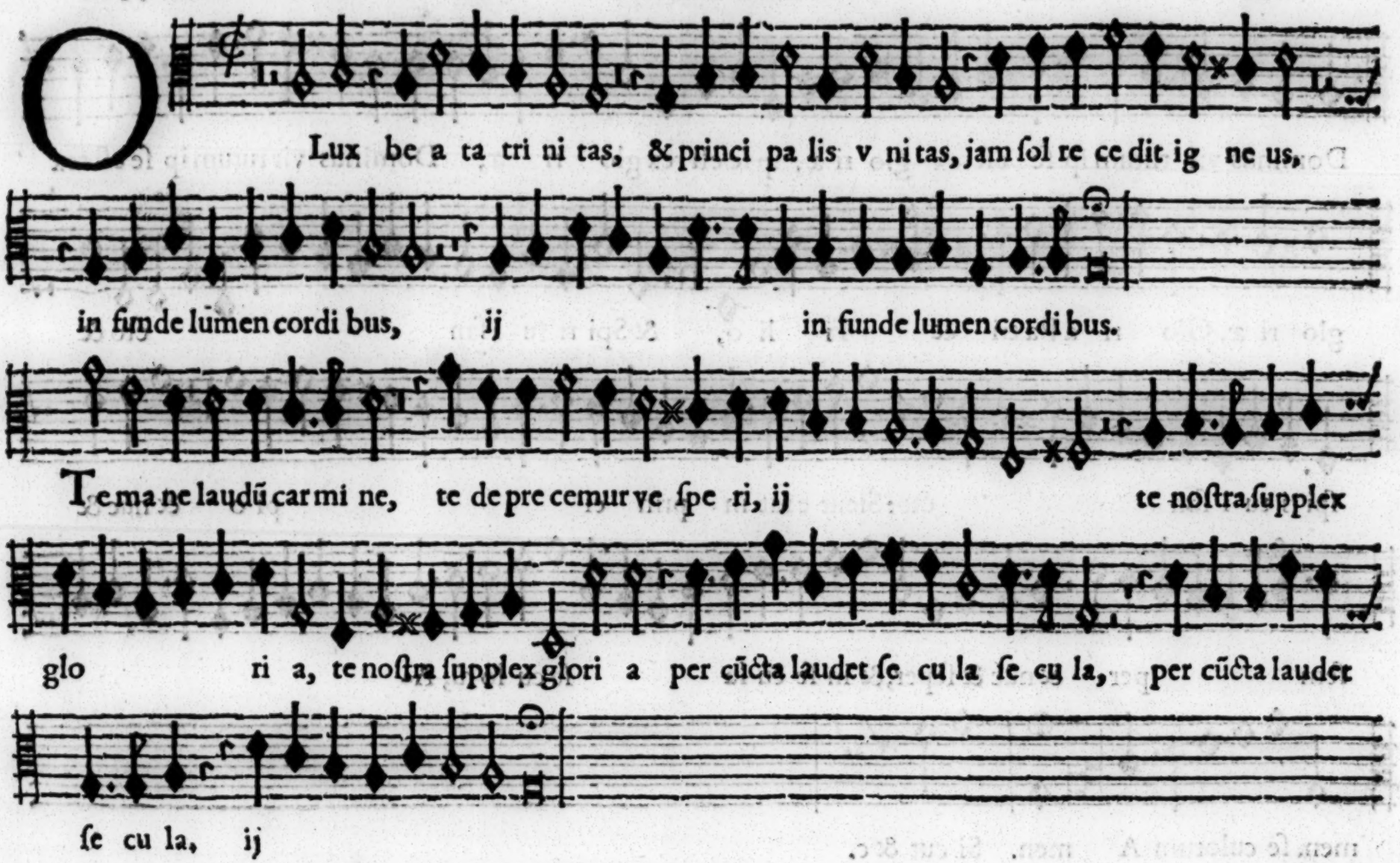


ſpi ri tu i ſan cto: Sicut e rat in prin ci pi o & nũc &

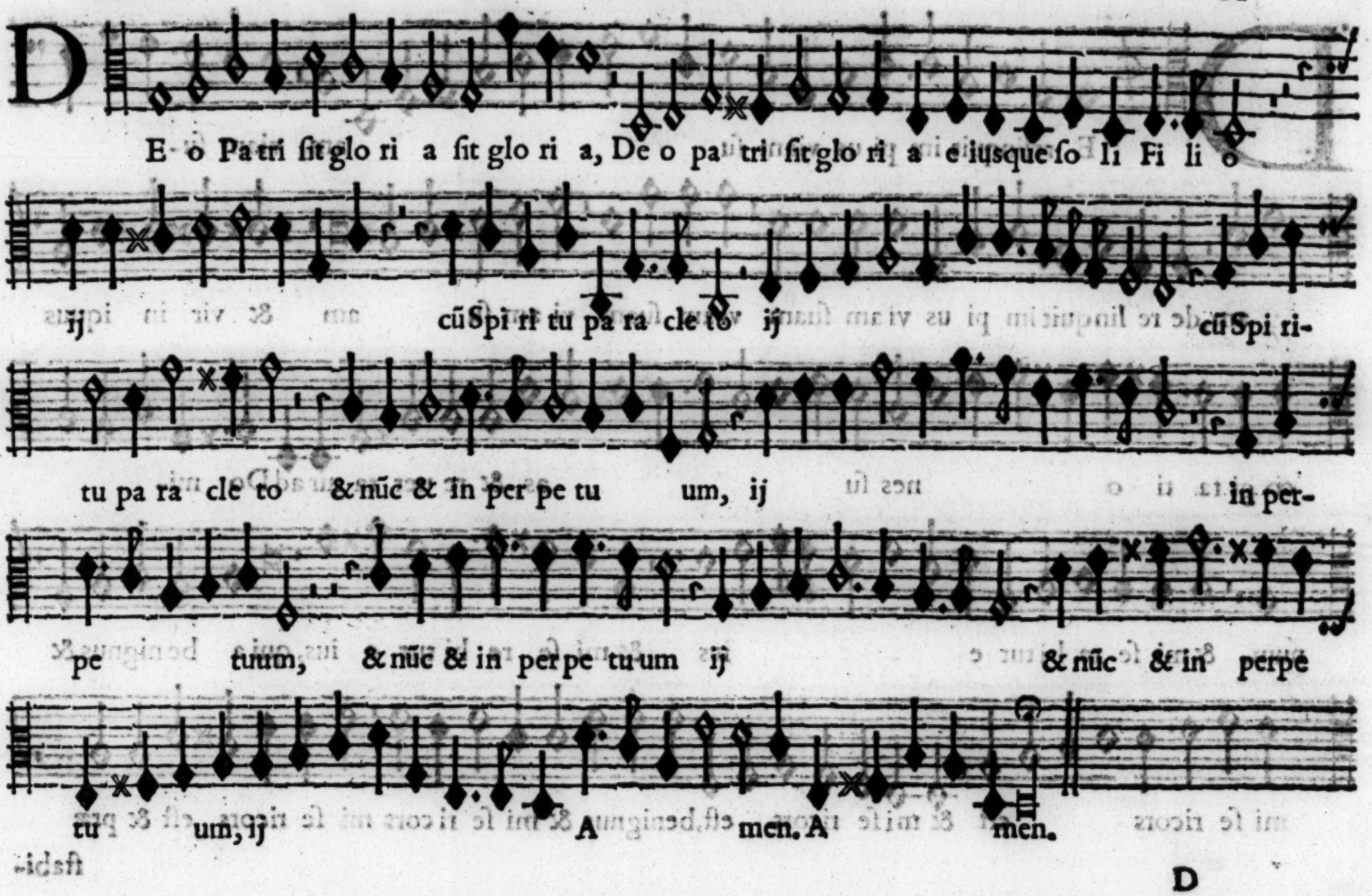


ſem per & nũc & ſẽper, & in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ, A-



men. ſe culorum A men. Si cut &c.


O Lux be a ta tri ni tas, & princi pa lis v ni tas, jam ſol re ce dit ig ne us,
in funde lumen cordi bus, ij in funde lumen cordi bus.
Te ma ne laudũ car mi ne, te de pre cemur ve ſpe ri, ij te noſtra ſupplex
glo ri a, te noſtra ſupplex glori a per cũcta laudet ſe cu la ſe cu la, per cũcta laudet
ſe cu la, ij


E- o Pa tri sit glo ri a sit glo ri a, De o pa tri sit glo ri a e iusque so li Fi li o
ij cũ Spi ri tu pa ra cle to ij cũ Spi ri-
tu pa ra cle to & nũc & in per pe tu um, ij in per-
pe tuum, & nũc & in per pe tu um ij & nũc & in perpe
tu um, ij A men. A men.

DE relinquit im pi us viam ſu am, viam ſu-
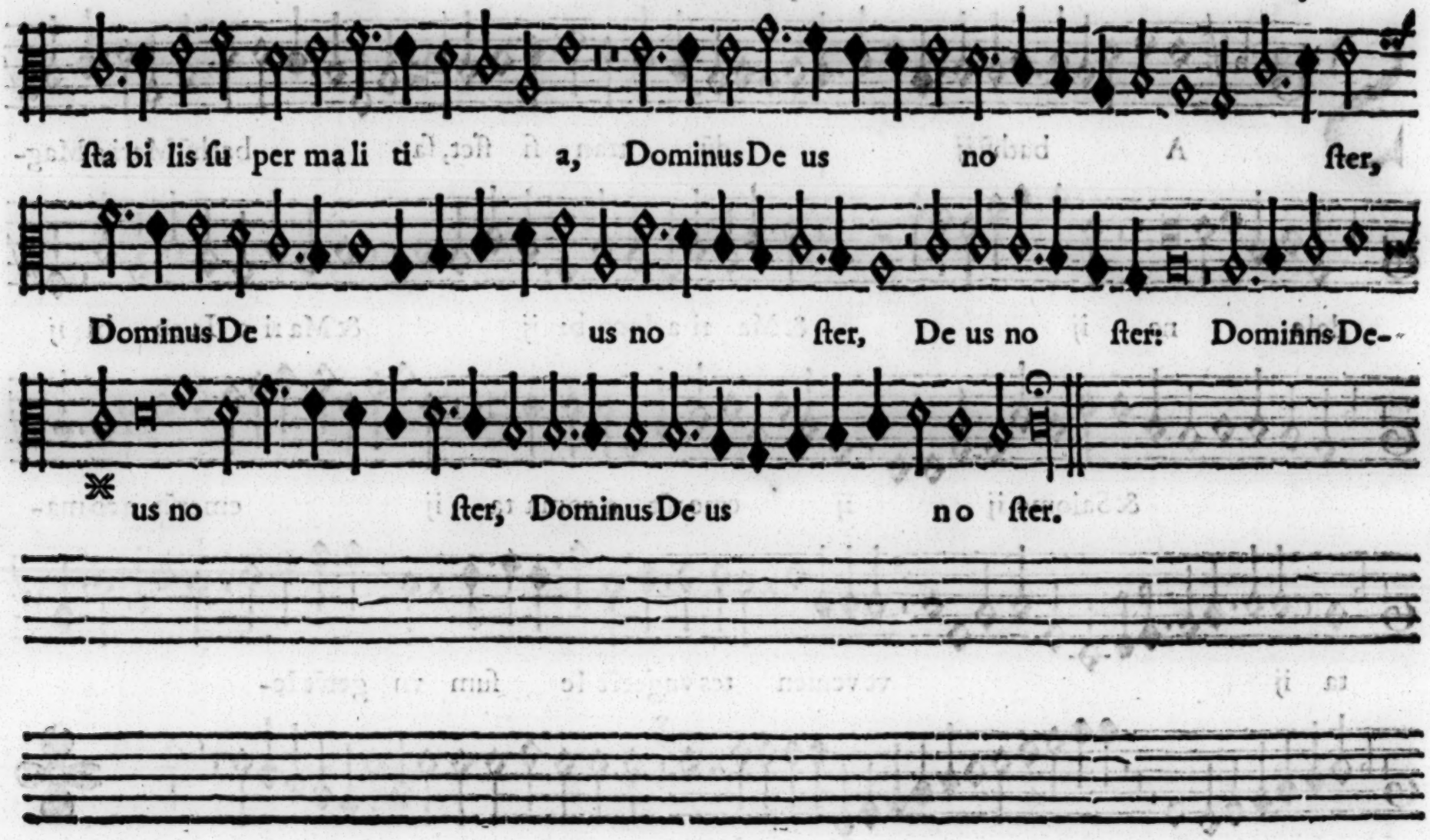
am, de re linquit im pi us vi am ſuam vi am ſuam, vi am ſu am & vir in iquus

co gi ta ti o nes ſu as, & re uer ta tur ad Do mi-

num & mi ſe re bi tur e ius & mi ſe re bi tur e ius, qui a be nignus &

mi ſe ricors eſt & mi ſe ricors eſt, benignus & mi ſe ri cors mi ſe ricors eſt & præ

ſtabi-


ſta bi lis ſu per ma li ti a, Dominus De us no ſter,
Dominus De us no ſter, De us no ſter: Dominus De-
us no ſter, Dominus De us no ſter.

S A bathũ ij dũ tran ſi ſſet, ſa bathũ Maria Mag-

dale ne ij & Ma ri a Iaco bi ij & Ma ri a Ia co bi ij

& Salome ij ij eme rũt a roma ta ij emerũt a roma-

ta ij vt venien tes vngerẽt Ie ſum vn gerẽt Ie-

ſum ij ij Al leluy a, ij ij Al-

luy-

Vir tus honor vir tus ij & pote ſtas ij ij
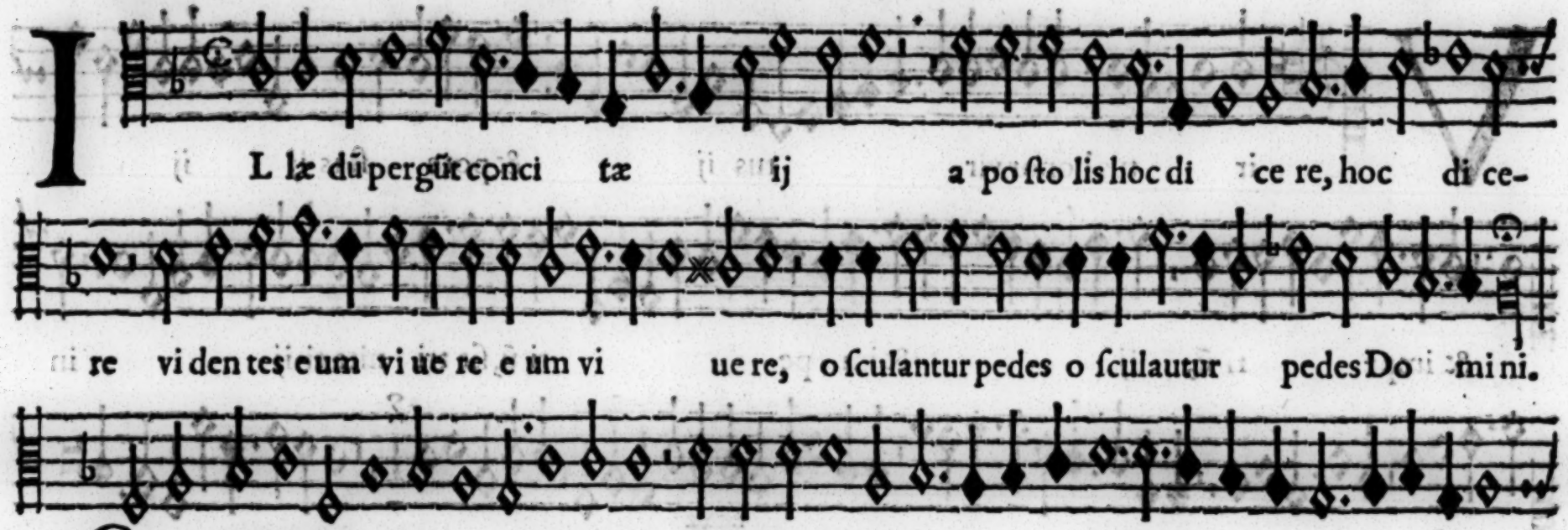
& impe ri ũ, ij & im pe ri ũ, ſit tri nita ti ij in
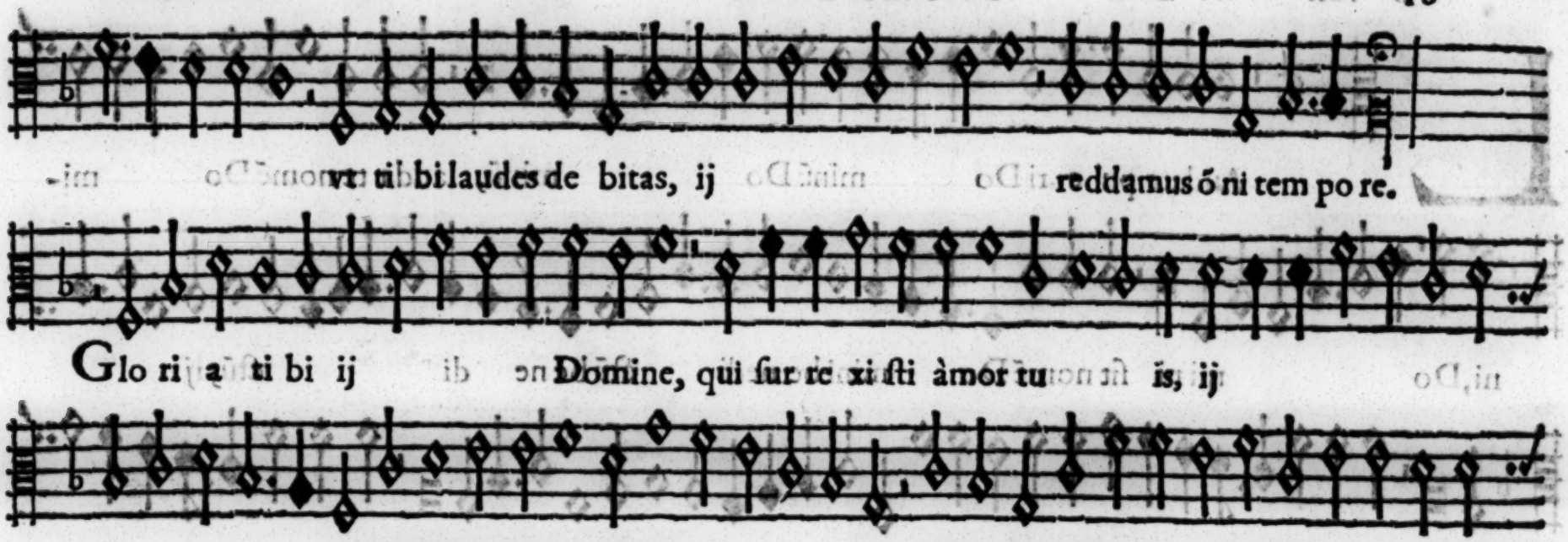
v ni tate ij v ni ta ti in tri nita te ij in trinitate, In per en ni

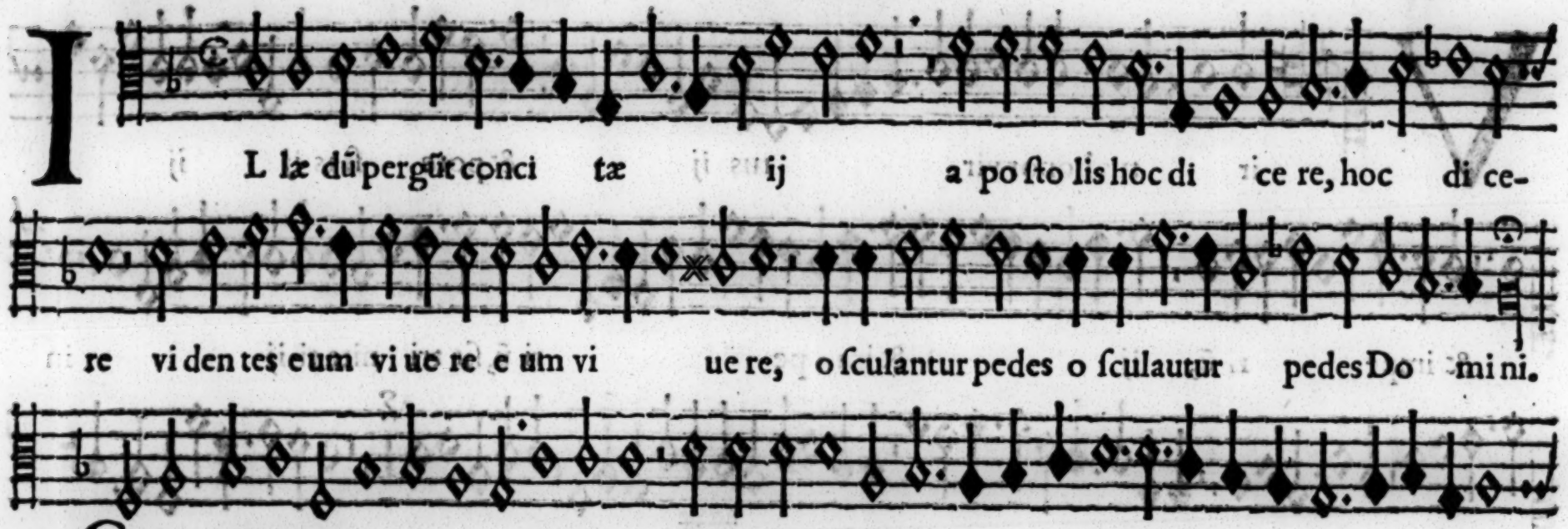
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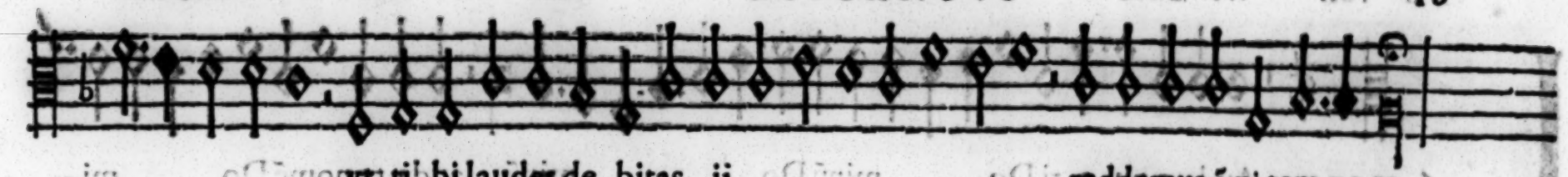
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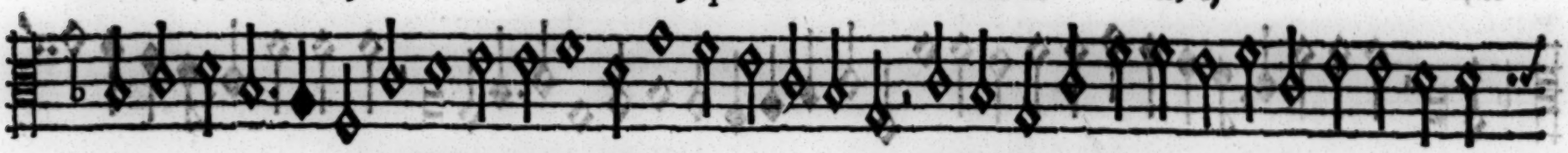

I L læ dū pergūt conci tæ ij a po ſto lis hoc di ce re, hoc di ce-
re vi den tes eum vi uē re e um vi ue re, o ſculantur pedes o ſculautur pedes Do mi ni.
C laro paſcha li gau di o gau di o, ſol mūdo ni tet ra di o ra di o,
cū Chriſtū jā a poſto li vi ſu cernūt cor po re o vi ſu cernūt corpo re o,
R ex Chri ſte ij clemen tiſ ſi me, tu cor da noſtra poſ ſi de, ij
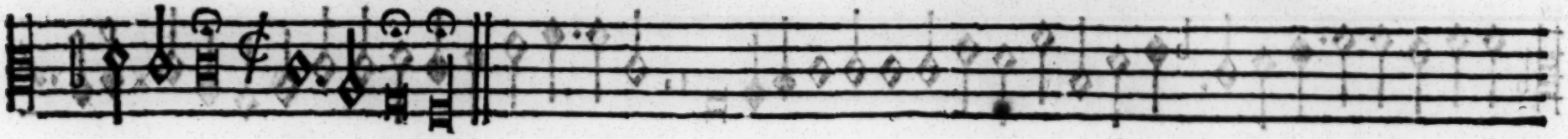

vt tibi laudes debitas, ij reddamus ỗ ni tempo re.
Glo ri a ti bi ij Domine, qui sur re xi sti àmor tu is, ij
cum Patre & Sancto spi ri tu in sempi terna se cu la, ij
A men.
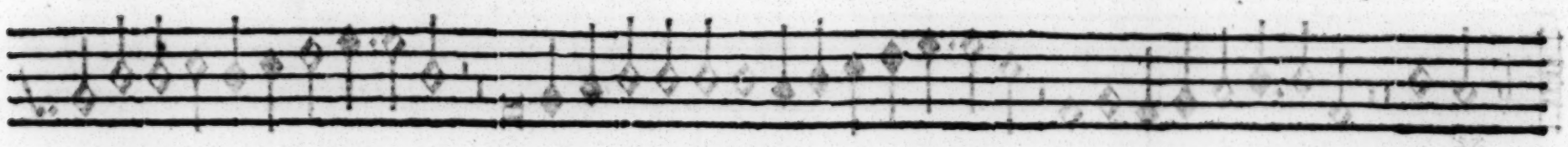

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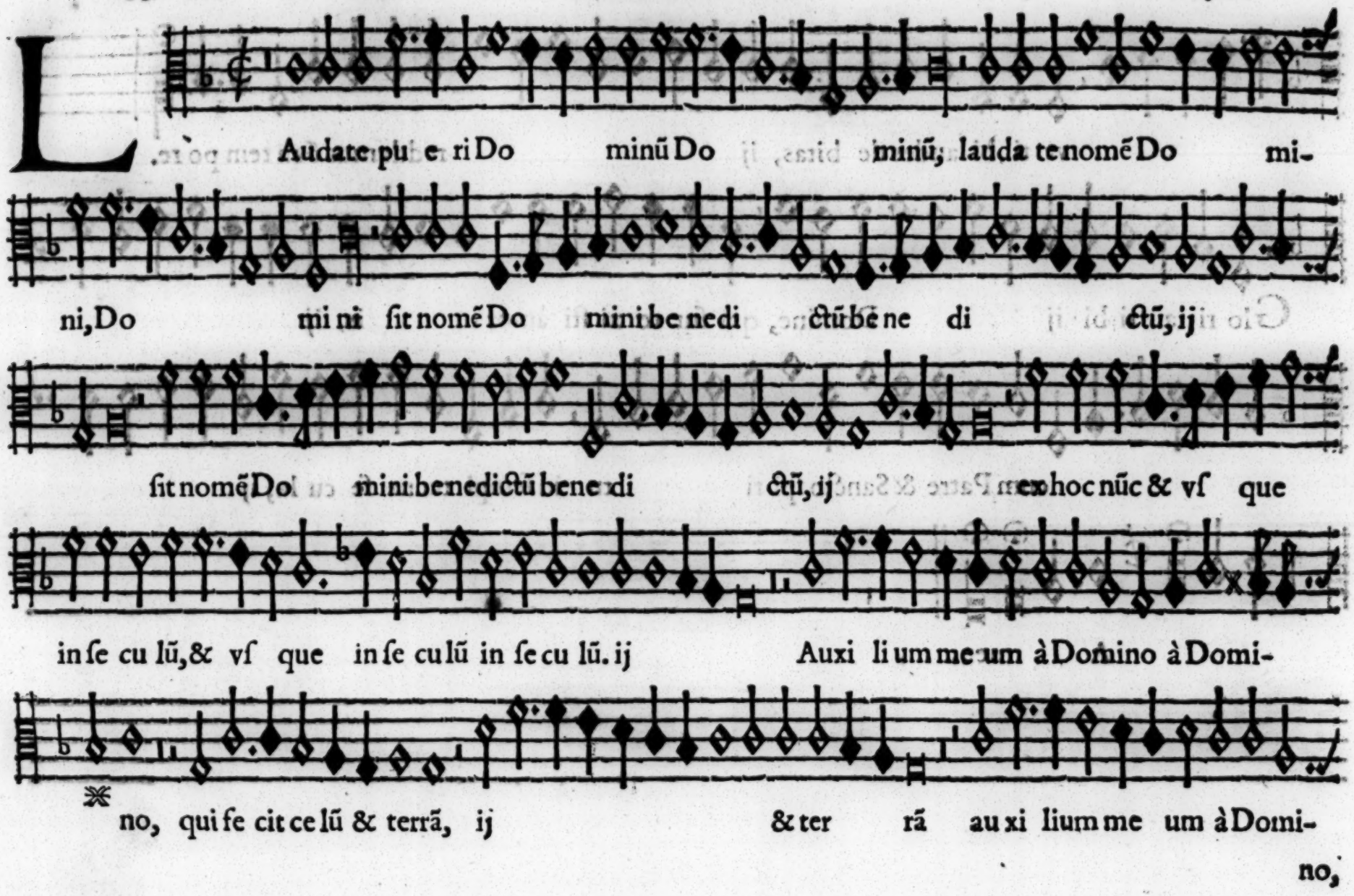

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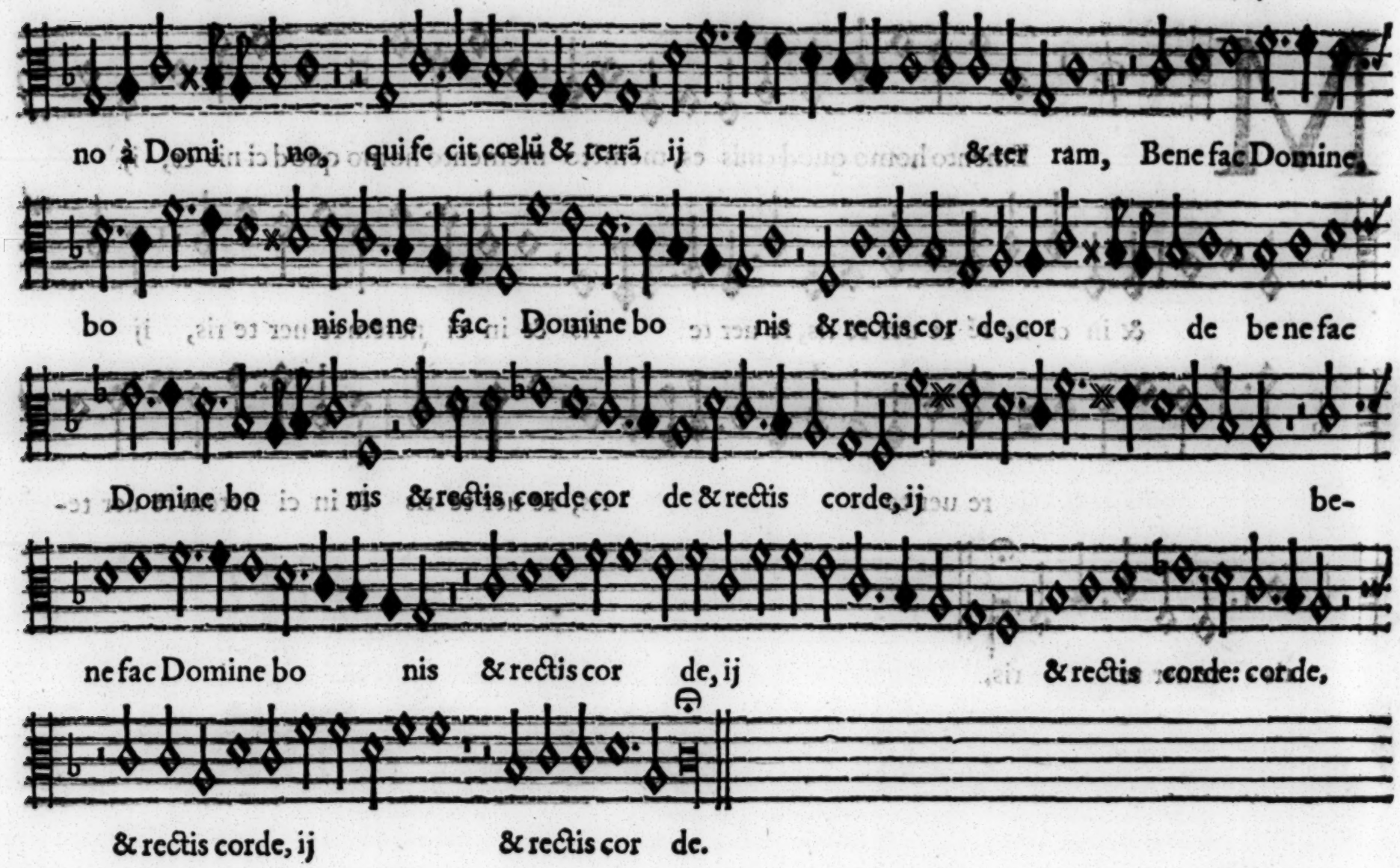

Glo ri a ti bi ij Domine, qui sur re xi sti àmor tu is, ij


cum Patre & Sancto spi ri tu in sempi terna se cu la, ij




A men.


Laudate pueri Do minũ Do minũ; lauda te nomẽ Do mi-
ni, Do mi nĩ sit nomẽ Do mini be nedi ctũ bẽ ne di ctũ, ij
sit nomẽ Do mini benedictũ bene di ctũ, ij ex hoc nũc & vſ que
in ſe cu lũ, & vſ que in ſe cu lũ in ſe cu lũ. ij Auxi li um me um à Domino à Domi-
no, qui fe cit ce lũ & terrã, ij & ter rã au xi lium me um à Domi-
no,
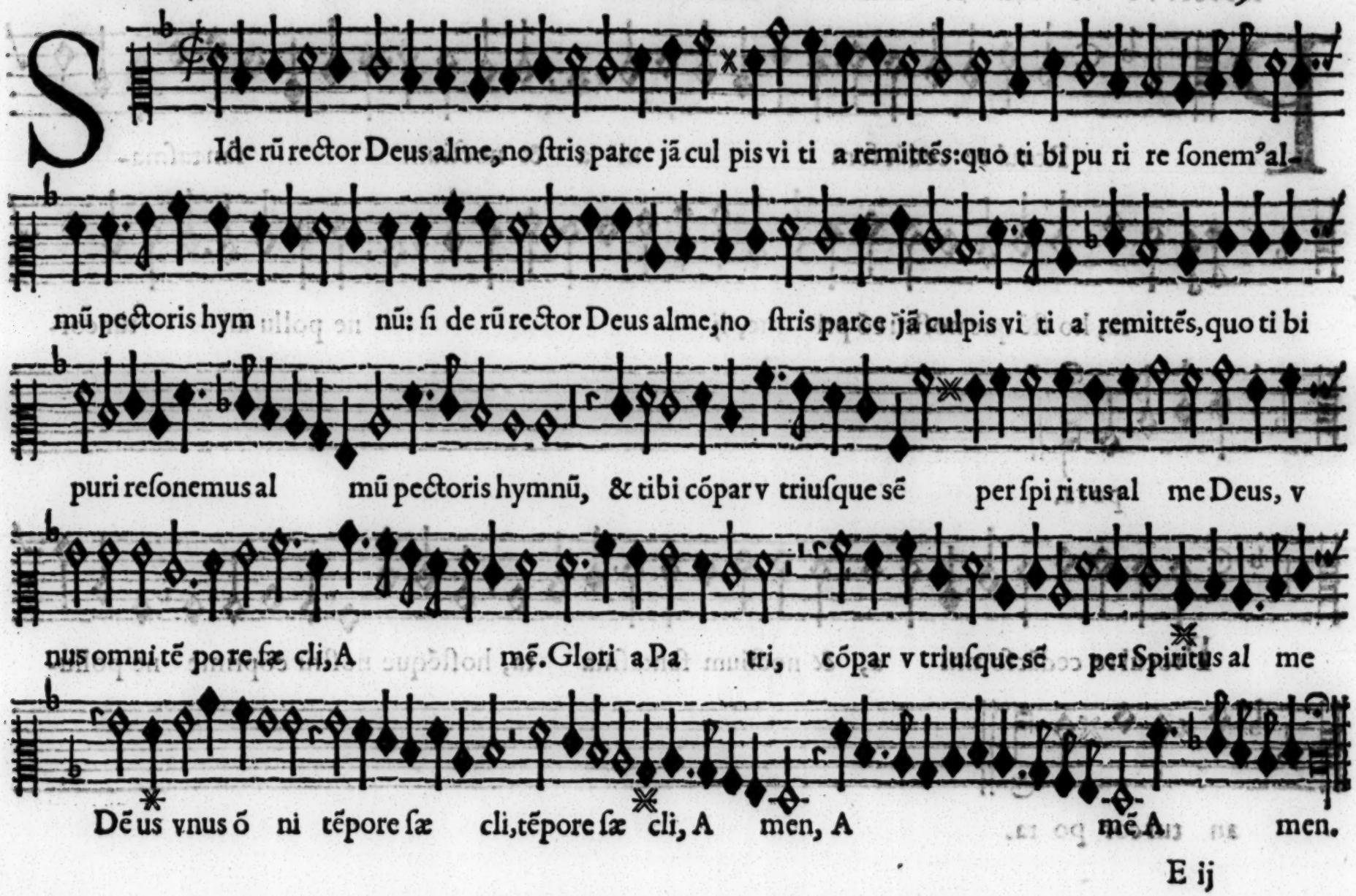

no à Domi no, qui fe cit cœlũ & terrã ij & ter ram, Bene fac Domine,
bo nis bene fac Domine bo nis & rectis cor de, cor de bene fac
Domine bo nis & rectis corde cor de & rectis corde, ij be-
ne fac Domine bo nis & rectis cor de, ij & rectis corde: corde,
& rectis corde, ij & rectis cor de.
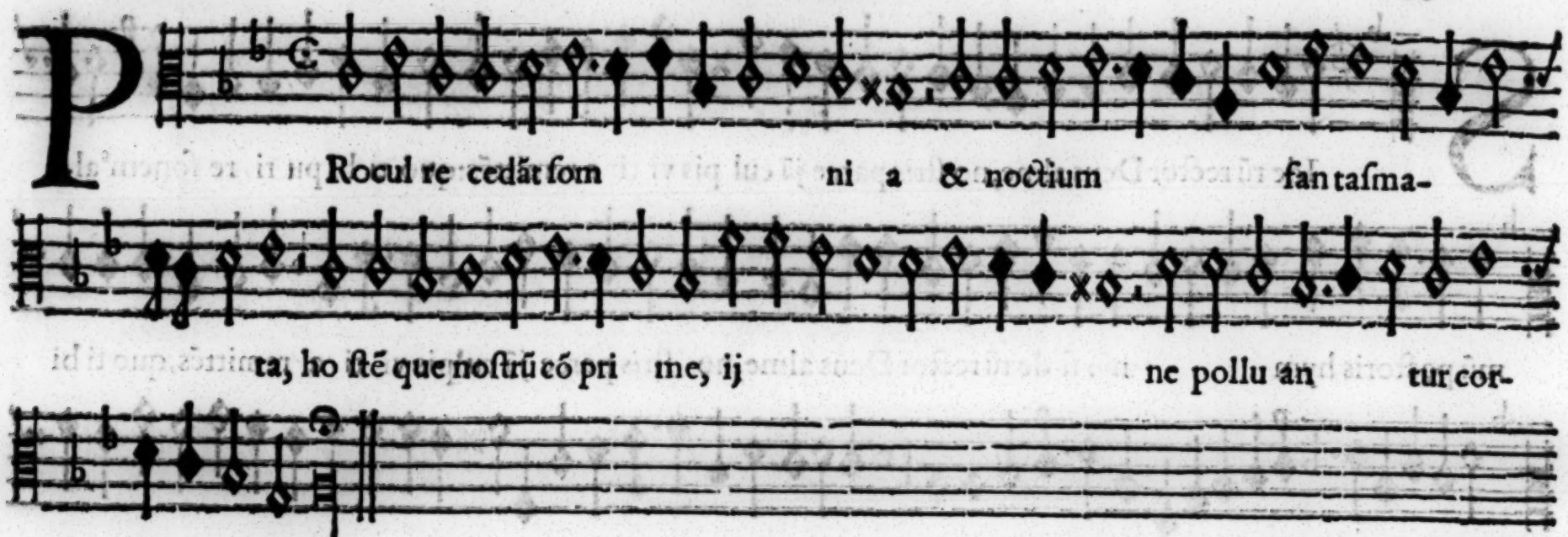
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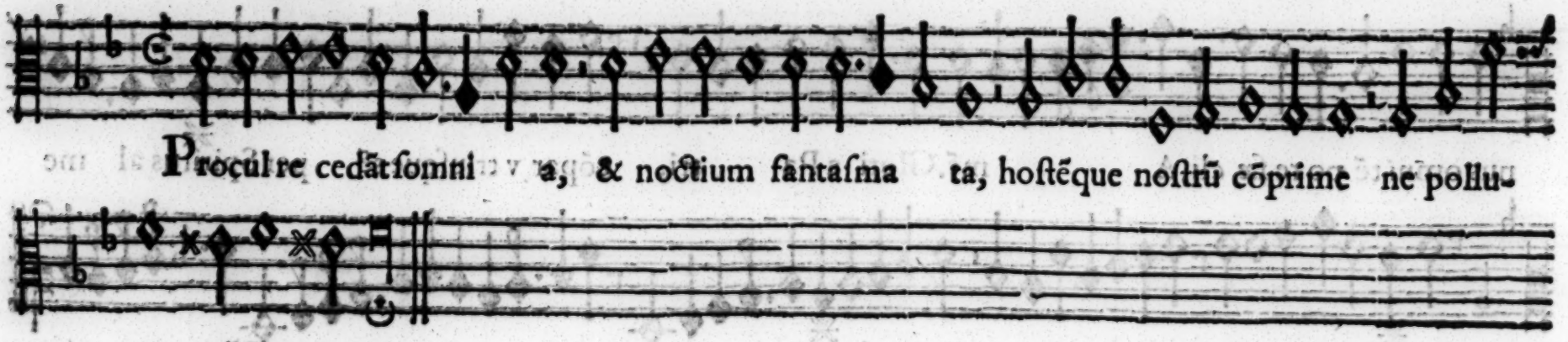
& in ci ne rẽ re uer te ris, re uer te ris & in ci nerem re uer te ris, ij
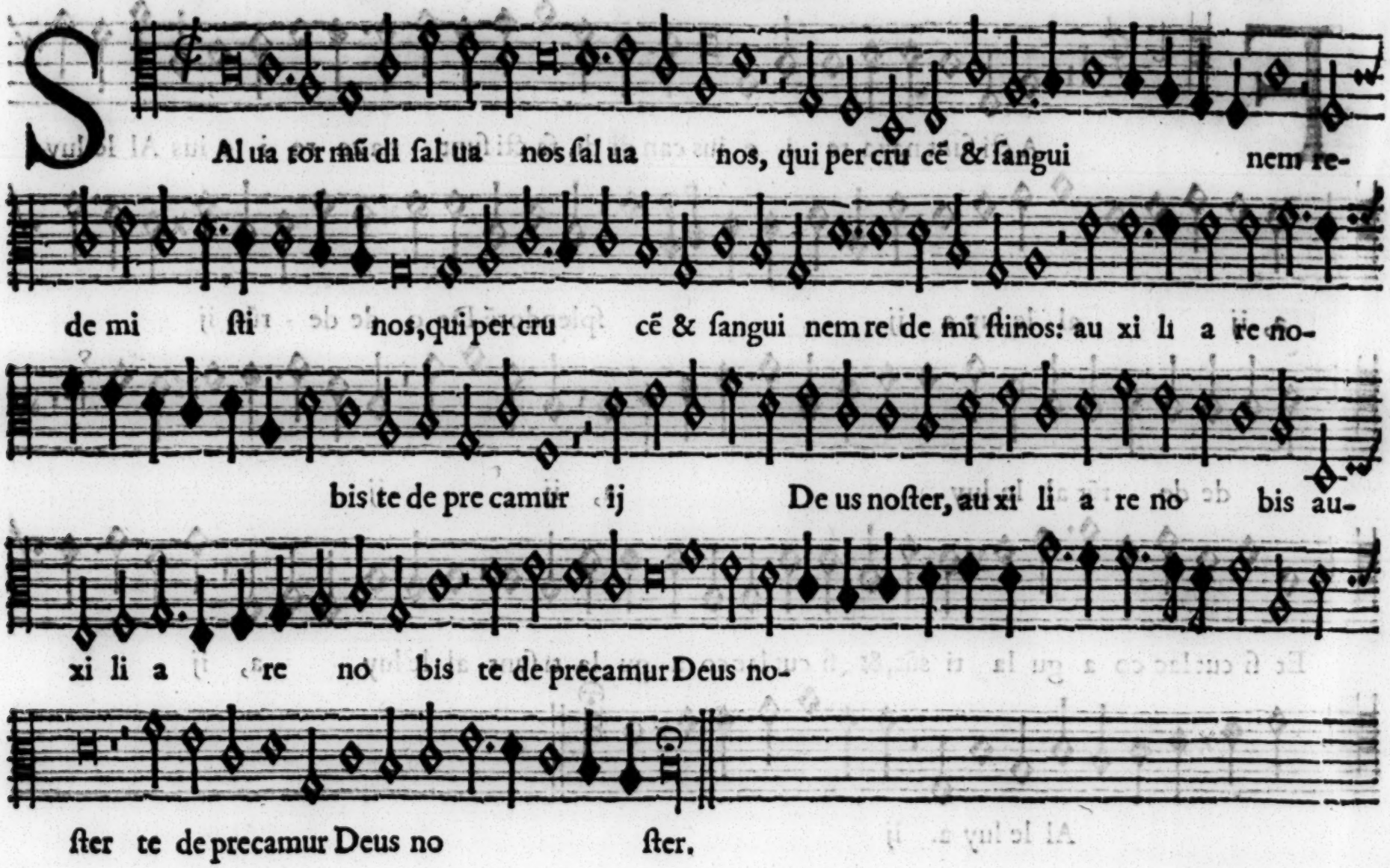
re uer te ris, re uer te ris & in ci nerem re uer te-

ris, reuer te ris.


Ide rũ rector Deus alme, no ſtris parce jã cul pis vi ti a remittẽs: quo ti bi pu ri re ſonem⁹ al-
mũ pectoris hym nũ: ſi de rũ rector Deus alme, no ſtris parce jã culpis vi ti a remittẽs, quo ti bi
puri reſonemus al mũ pectoris hymnũ, & tibi cõpar v triuſque sẽ per ſpi ri tus al me Deus, v
nus omni tẽ po re ſæ cli, A mẽ. Glori a Pa tri, cõpar v triuſque sẽ per Spiritus al me
Dẽ us vnus ō ni tẽpore ſæ cli, tẽpore ſæ cli, A men, A mẽ. A men.


Procul recedãt somni a & noctium fantasma-
ta, hostẽque nostrũ cõprime ne pollu an tur cor-
pora.


Procul recedãt somni a, & noctium fantasma ta, hostẽque nostrũ cõprime ne pollu-
an tur cor po ra.


Salua tor mũdi salua nos salua nos, qui per cru cẽ & sangui nem re-
de mi sti nos, qui per cru cẽ & sangui nem re de mi stinos: au xi li a re no-
bis te de pre camur ij De us noster, au xi li a re no bis au-
xi li a re no bis te de precamur Deus no-
ster te de precamur Deus no ster.
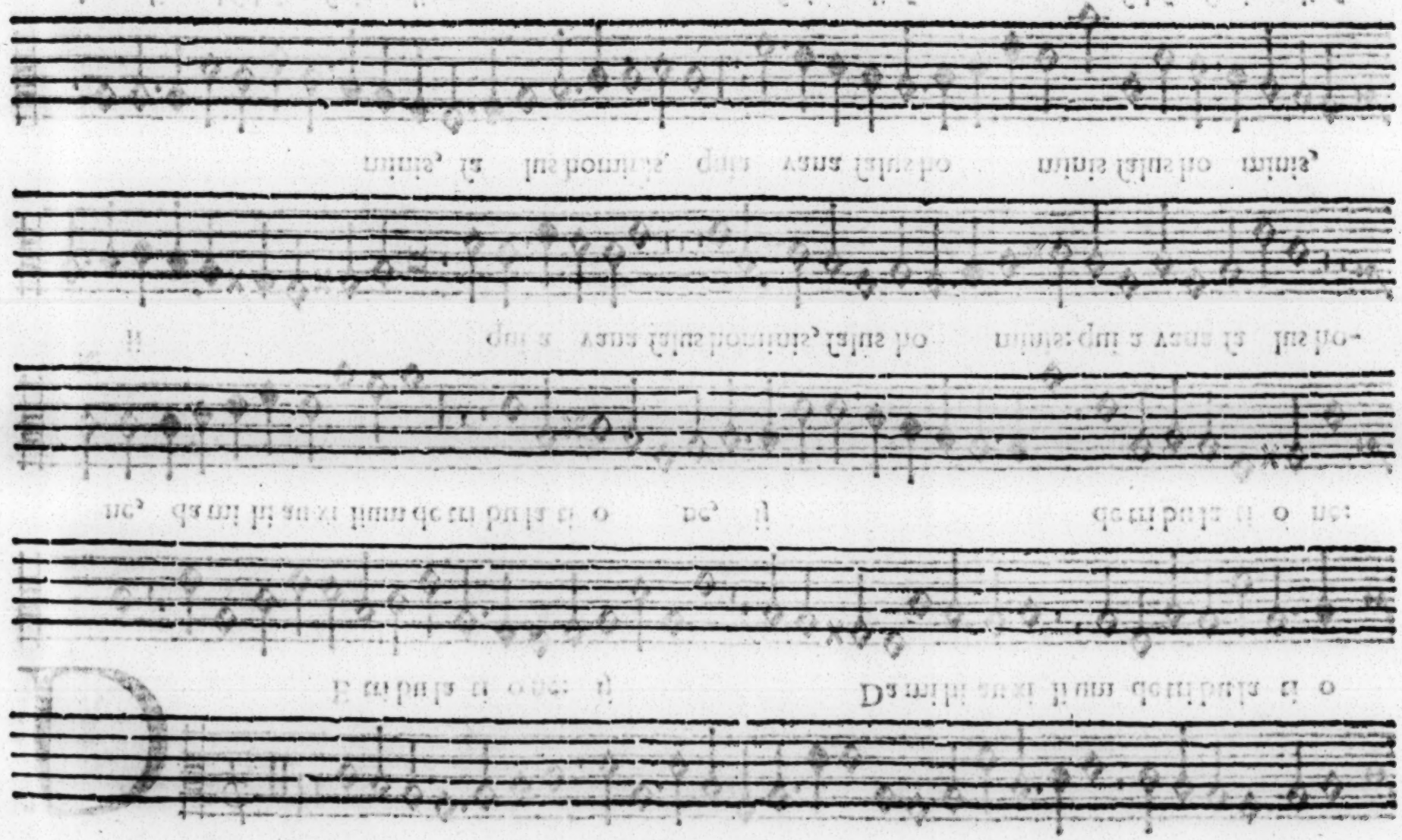
F A cti ſunt naza re i e ius can di di, fa cti ſunt naza re i e ius Al le luy-
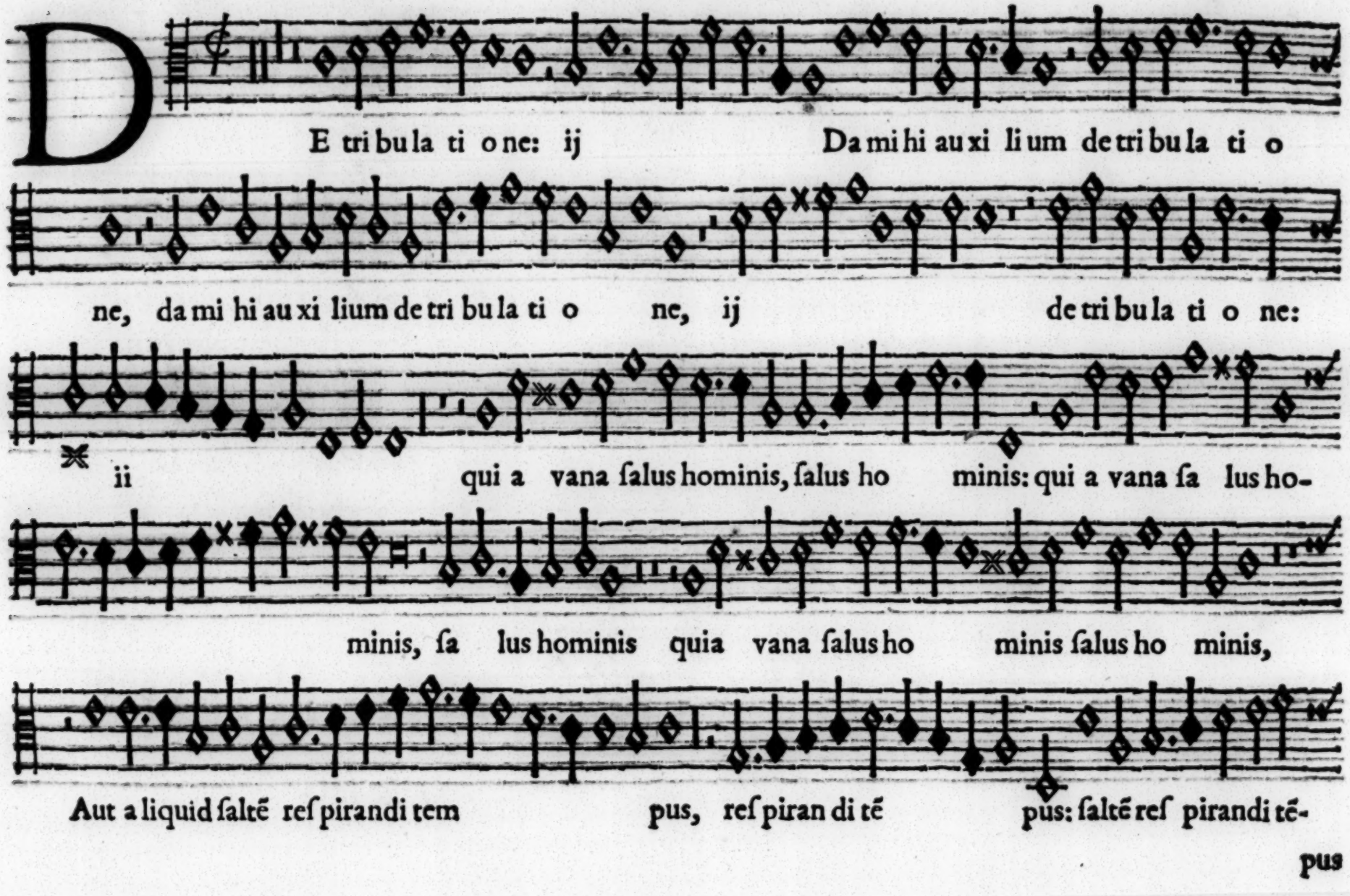
a, ij al le luy a ij ſplendorẽ De o de de rũt, ij

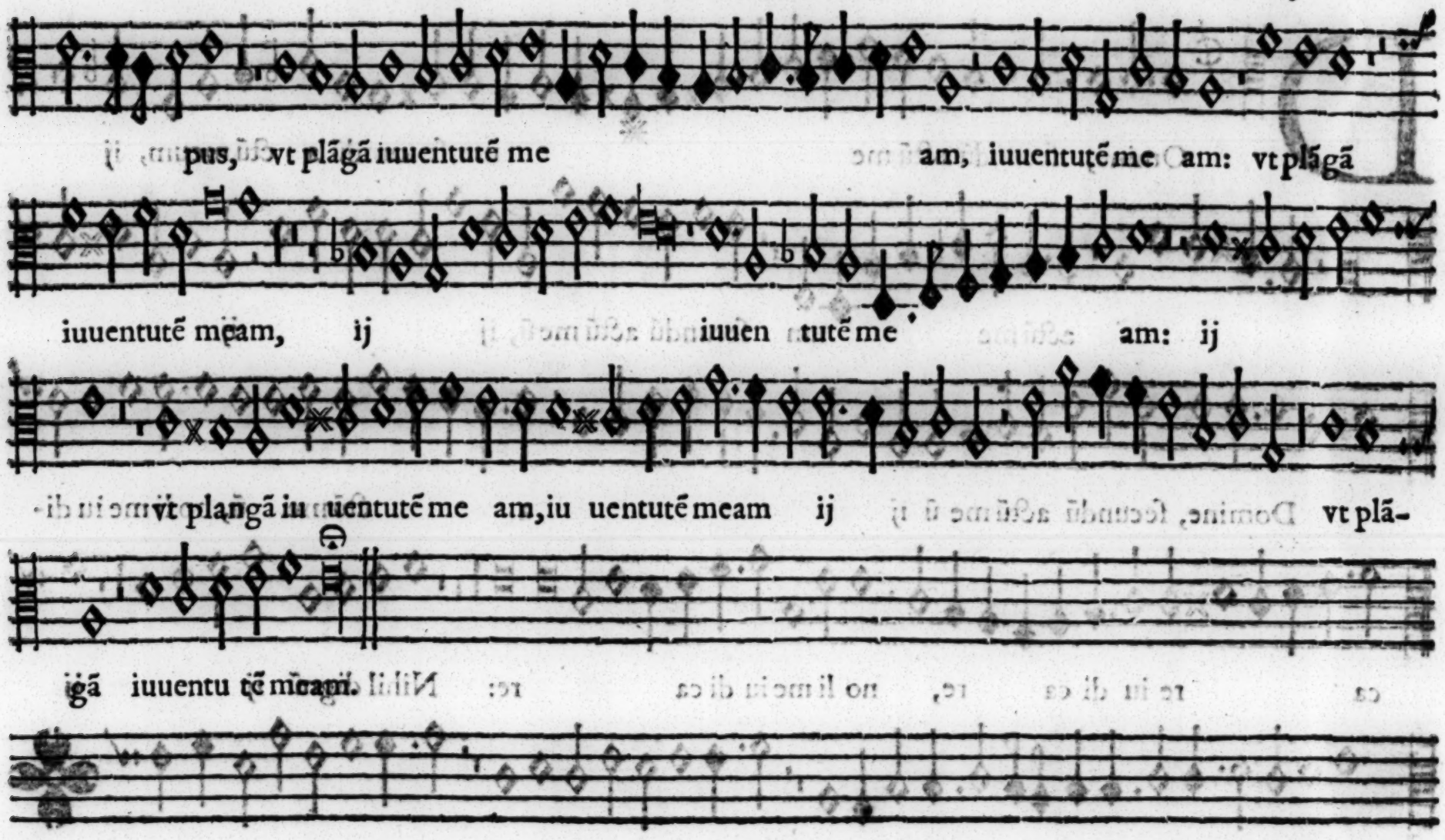
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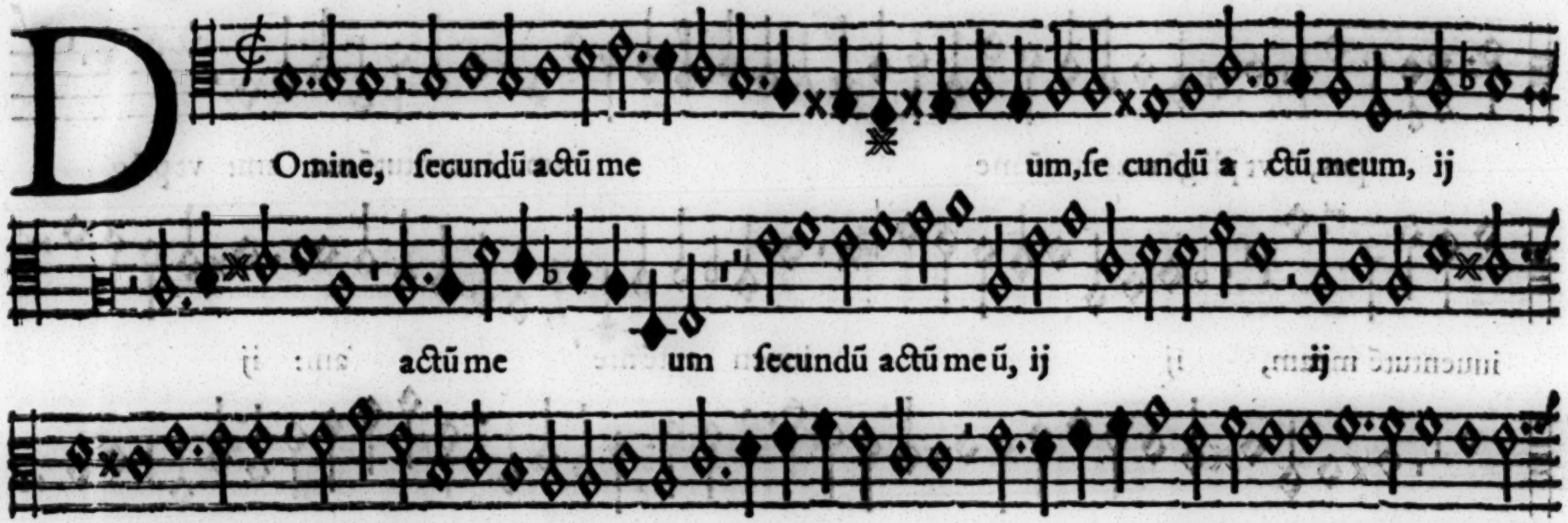
Et ſi cut lac co a gu la ti sũt,& ſi cut lac co a gu la ti ſunt al le luy a, ij

Al le luy a. ij
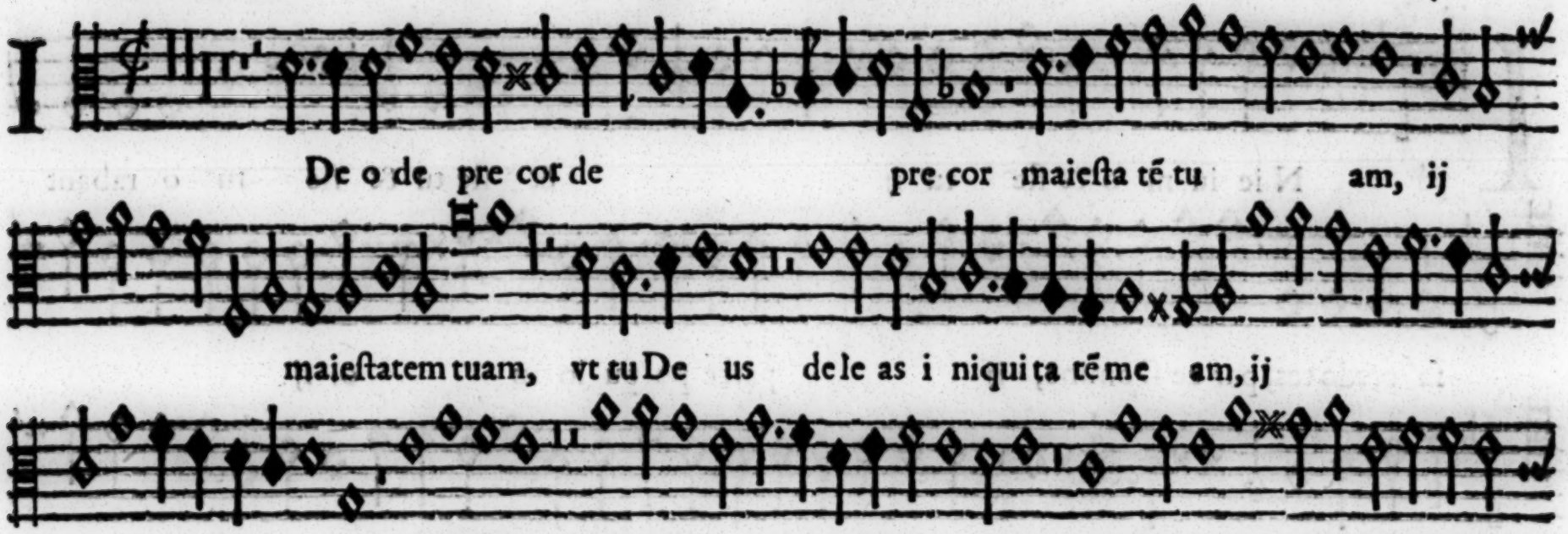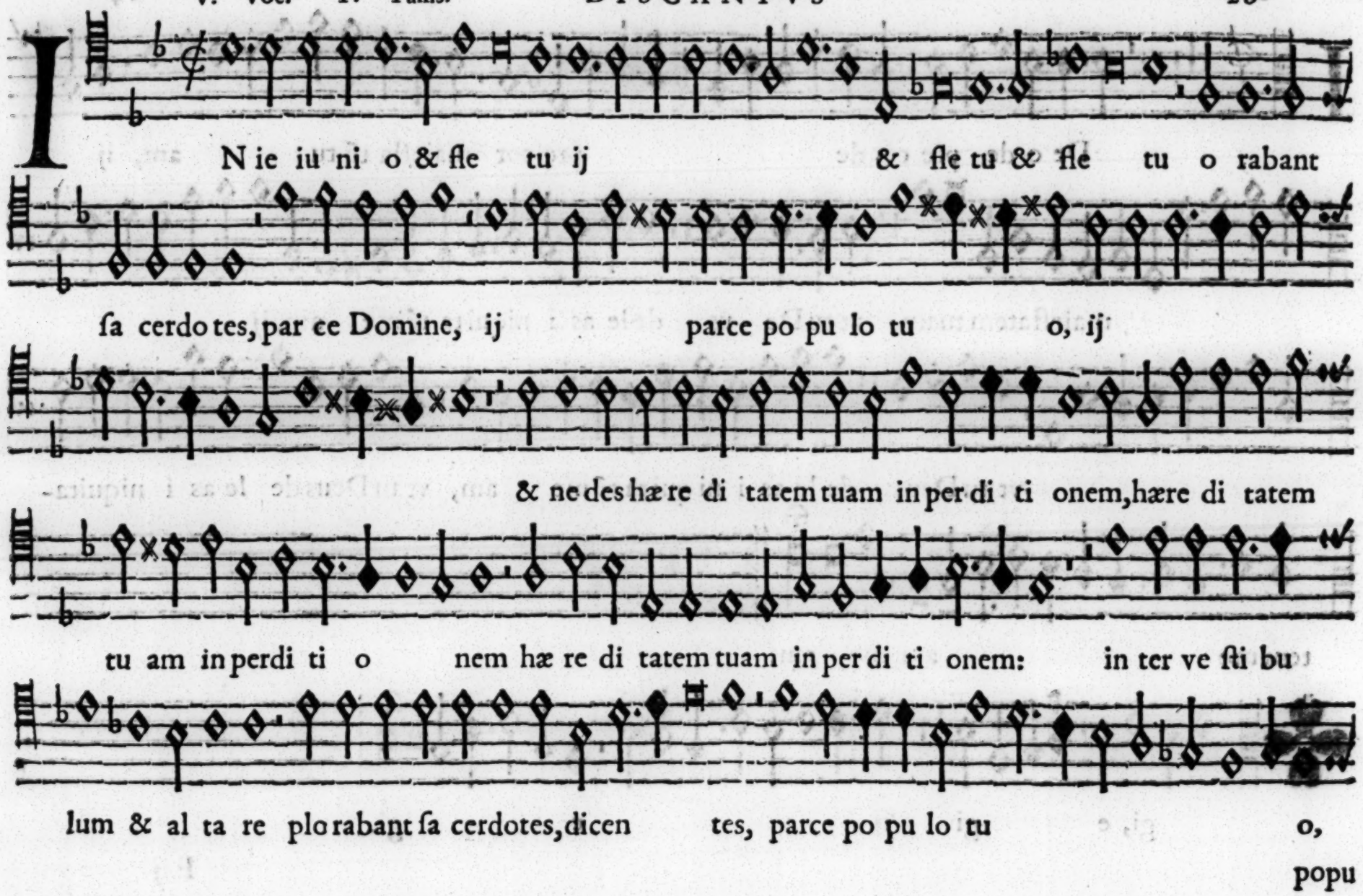



E tribula ti one: ij Da mihi auxi lium detribula ti o
ne, da mi hi au xi lium de tri bula ti o ne, ij de tribula ti o ne:
ii qui a vana ſalus hominis, ſalus ho minis: qui a vana ſa lus ho-
minis, ſa lus hominis quia vana ſalus ho minis ſalus ho minis,
Aut a liquid ſaltē reſpirandi tem pus, reſpiran di tē pus: ſaltē reſ pirandi tē-
pus

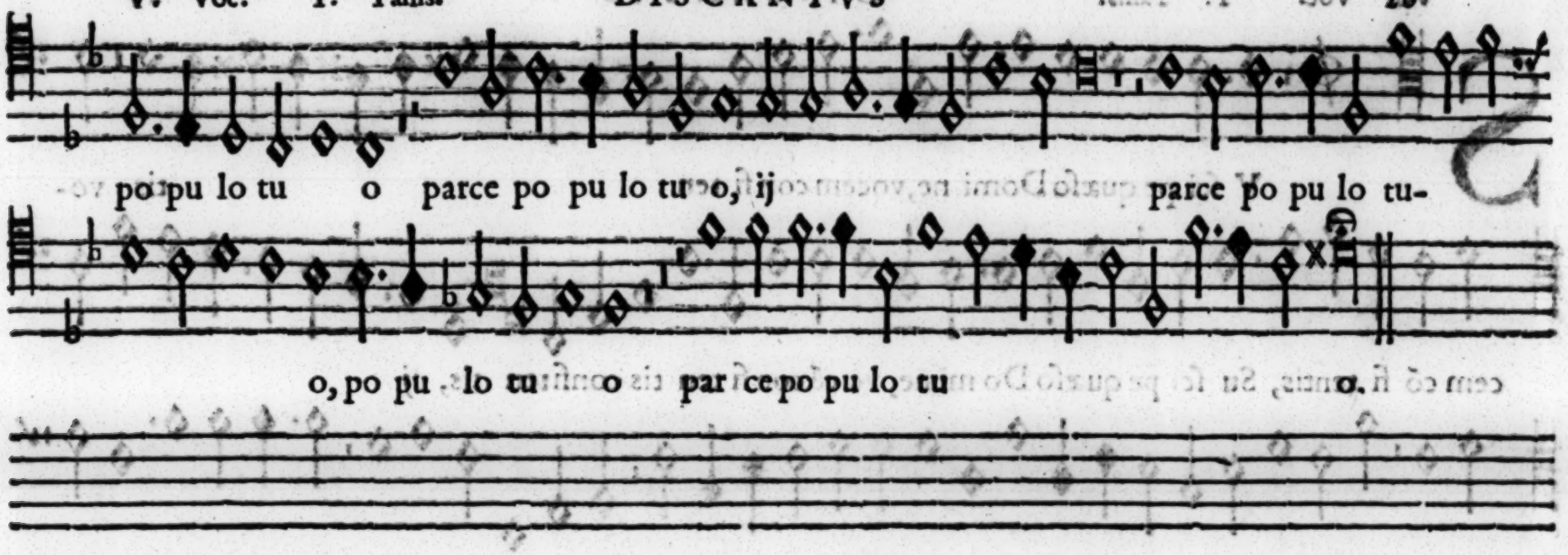

pus, vt plãgã iuuentutẽ me am, iuuentutẽ me am: vt plãgã
iuuentutẽ mẽam, ij iuuen tutẽ me am: ij
vt plangã iu uentutẽ me am, iu uentutẽ meam ij vt plã-
igã iuuentu tẽ mẽam.
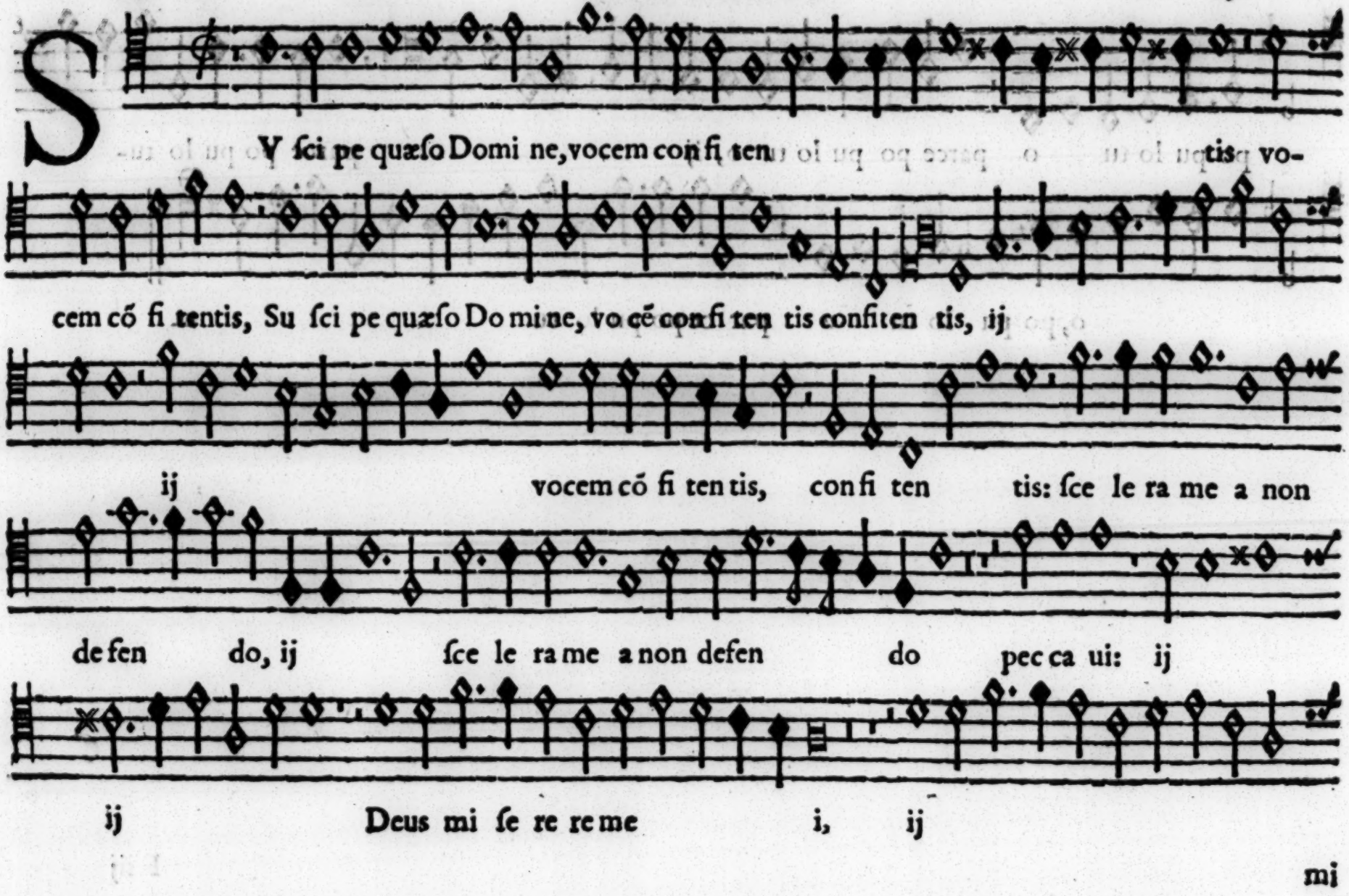

Omine, ſecundũ actũ me um, ſe cundũ a ctũ meum, ij
actũ me um ſecundũ actũ me ũ, ij ij
Domine, ſecundũ actũ me ũ ij a ctũ me ũ, no li me iu di-
ca re iu di ca re, no li me iu di ca re: Nihil dignũ ij ij
in conſpectu tu o e gi, ij in conſpectu tu o e-

egi

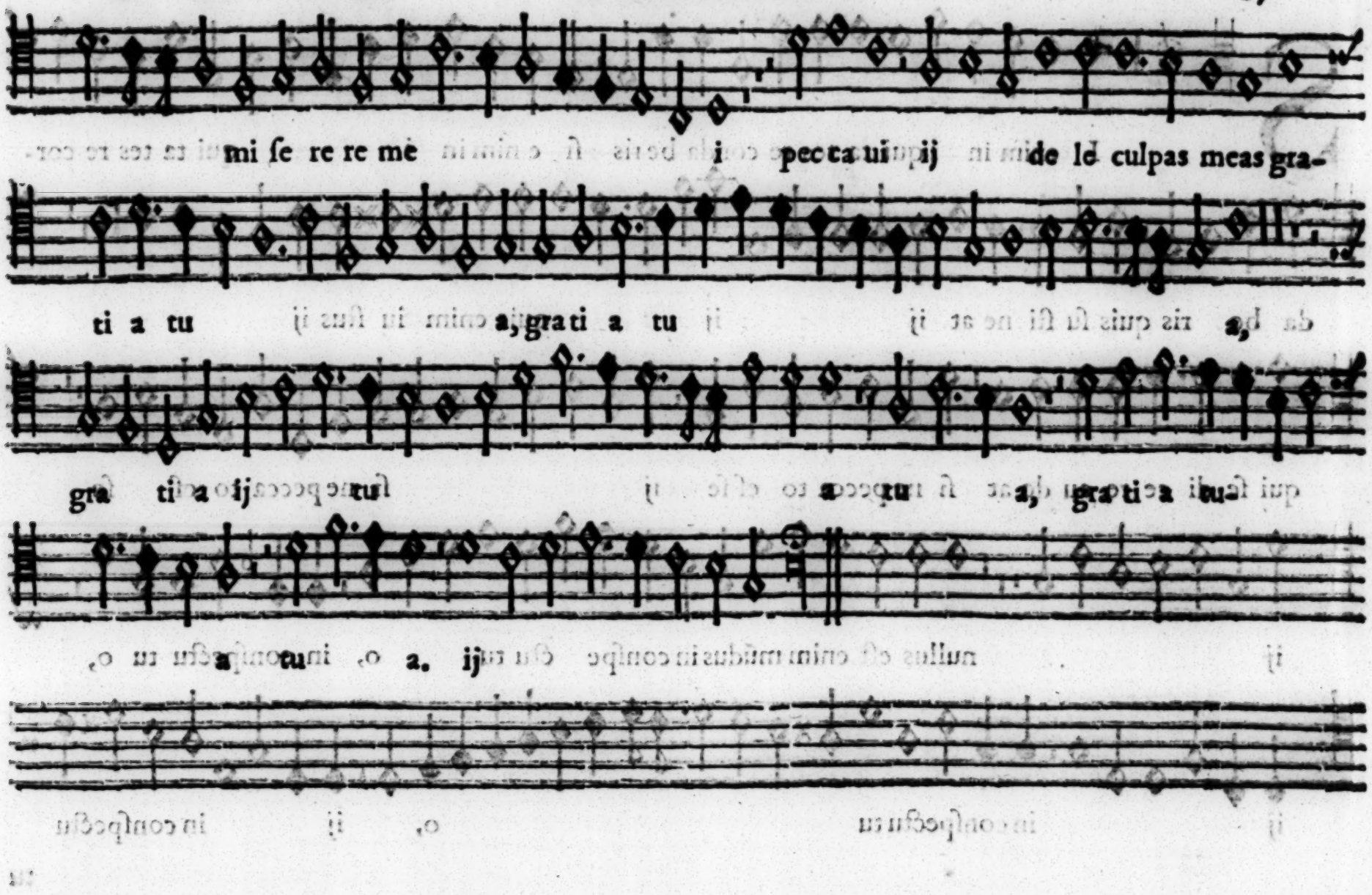

De o de pre cor de pre cor maiesta tẽ tu am, ij
maiestatem tuam, vt tu De us de le as i niquita tẽ me am, ij
vt tu Deus de le as i niquita tẽ me am, vt tu Deus de le as i niquita-
tem me am, me am.
gi, e gi ij e gi.

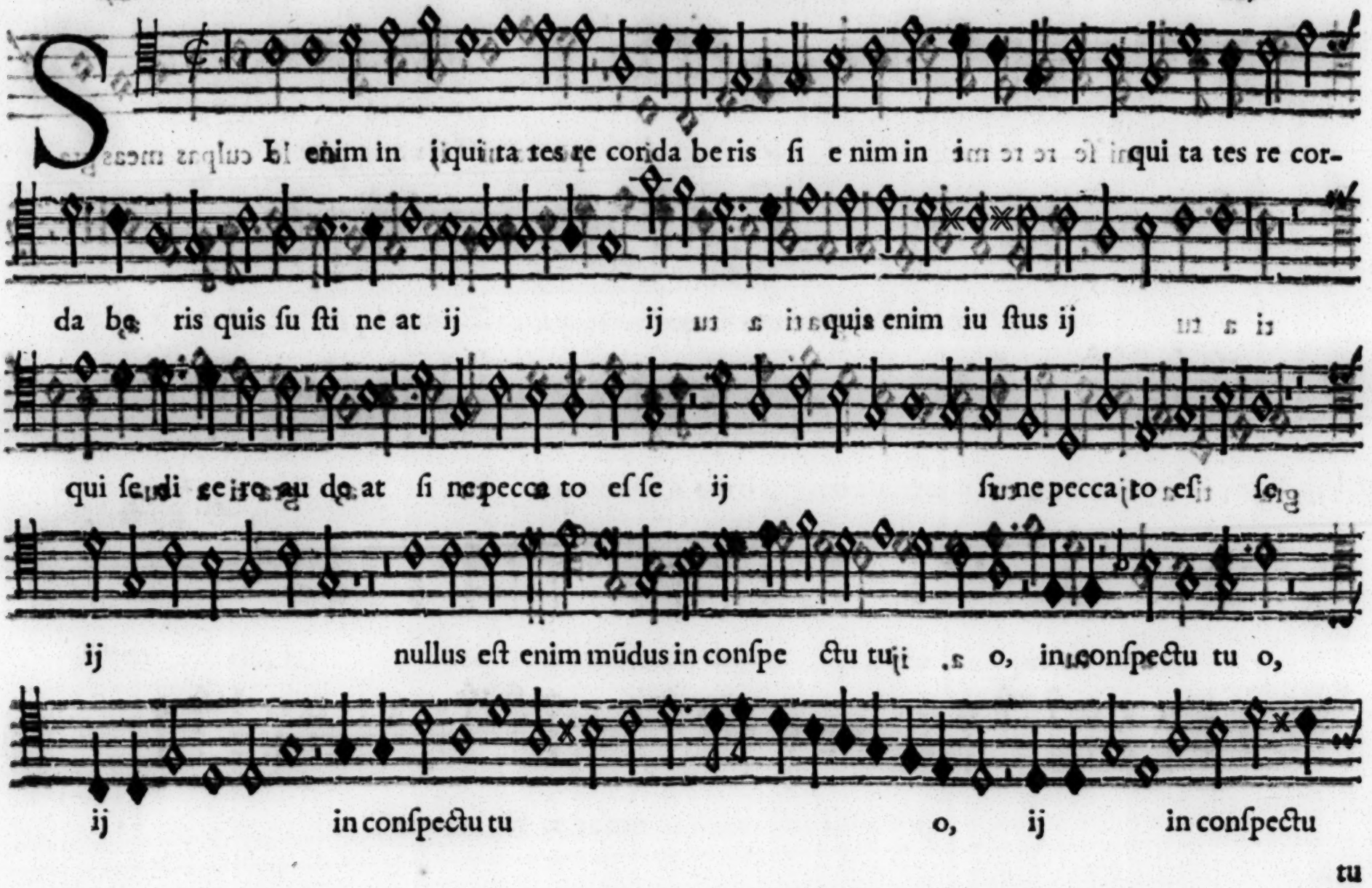

IN ie iu ni o & fle tu ij & fle tu & fle tu o rabant
ſa cerdo tes, par ce Domine, ij parce po pu lo tu o, ij
& ne des hære di tatem tuam in per di ti onem, hære di tatem
tu am in perdi ti o nem hæ re di tatem tuam in per di ti onem: in ter ve ſti bu
lum & al ta re plo rabant ſa cerdotes, dicen tes, parce po pu lo tu o,
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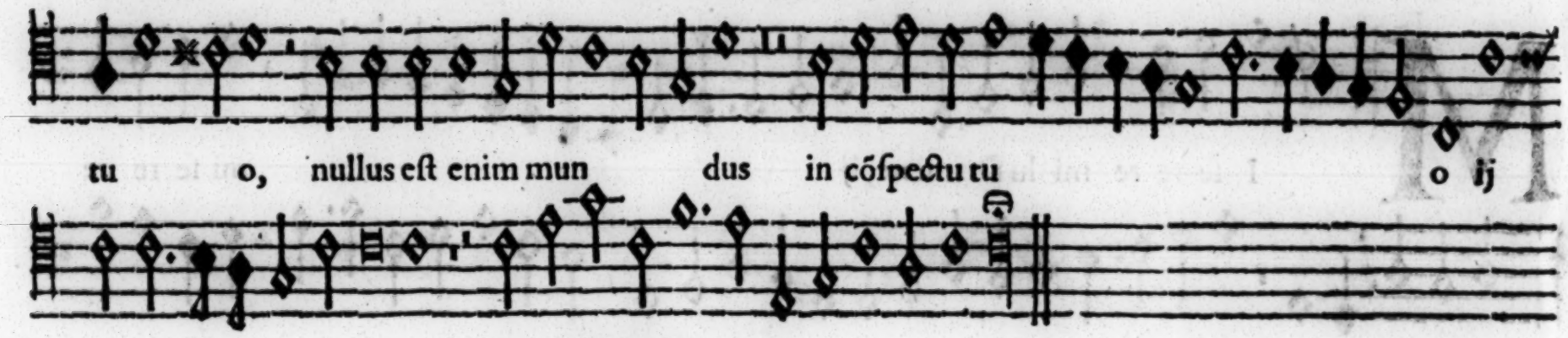

po pu lo tu o parce po pu lo tu o, ij parce po pu lo tu-
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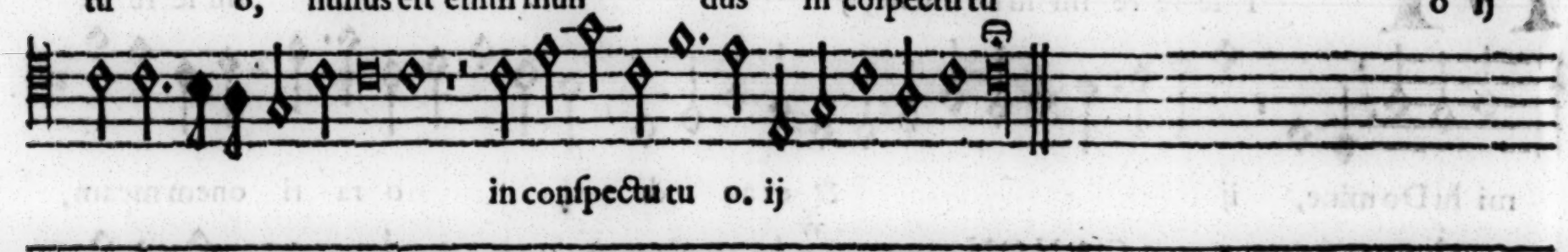

SV ſci pe quæſo Domi ne, vocem con fi ten tis vo-
cem cõ fi tentis, Su ſci pe quæſo Do mi ne, vo cẽ con fi ten tis confiten tis, ij
ij vocem cõ fi ten tis, con fi ten tis: ſce le ra me a non
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ij Deus mi ſe re re me i, ij
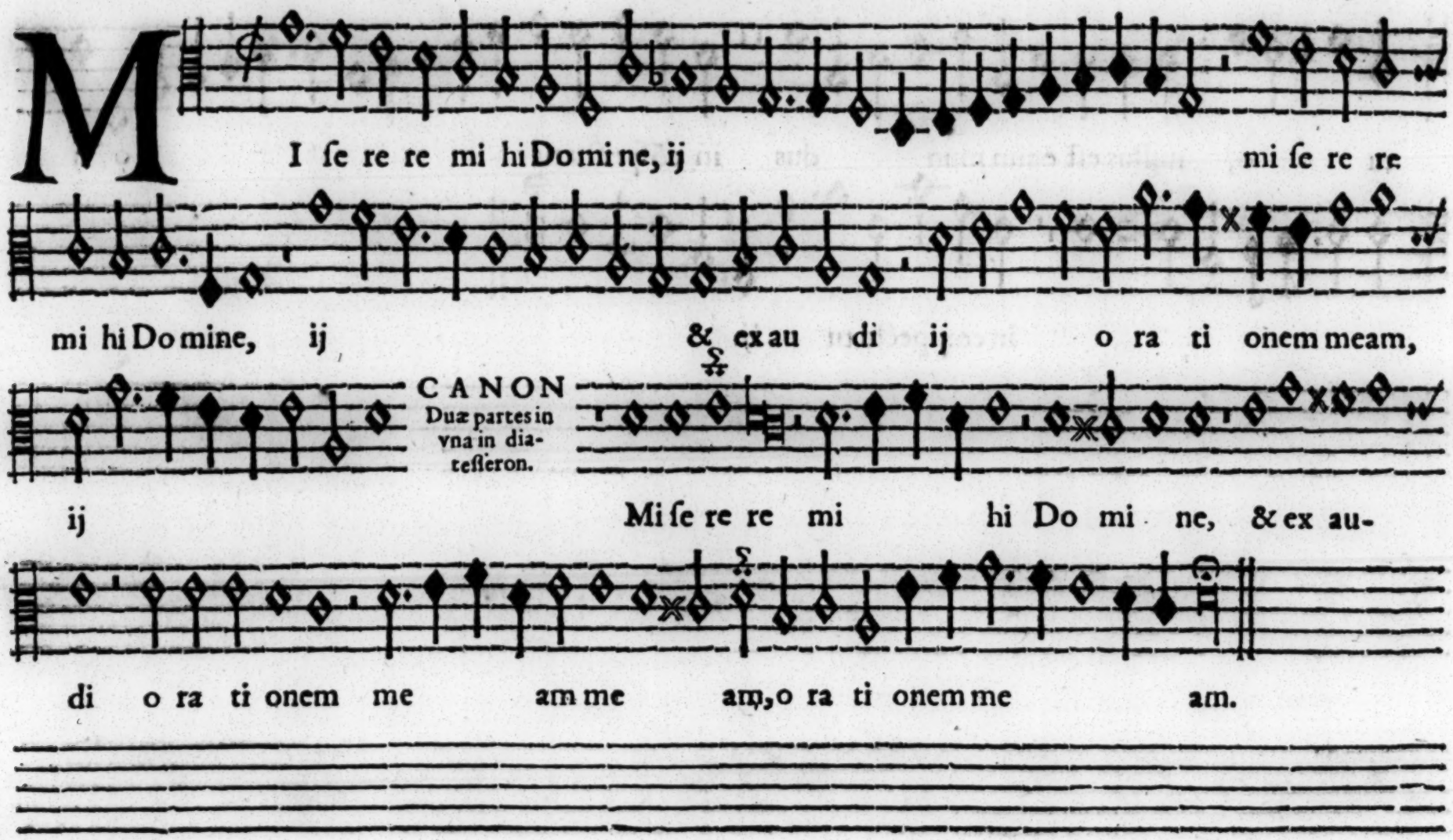
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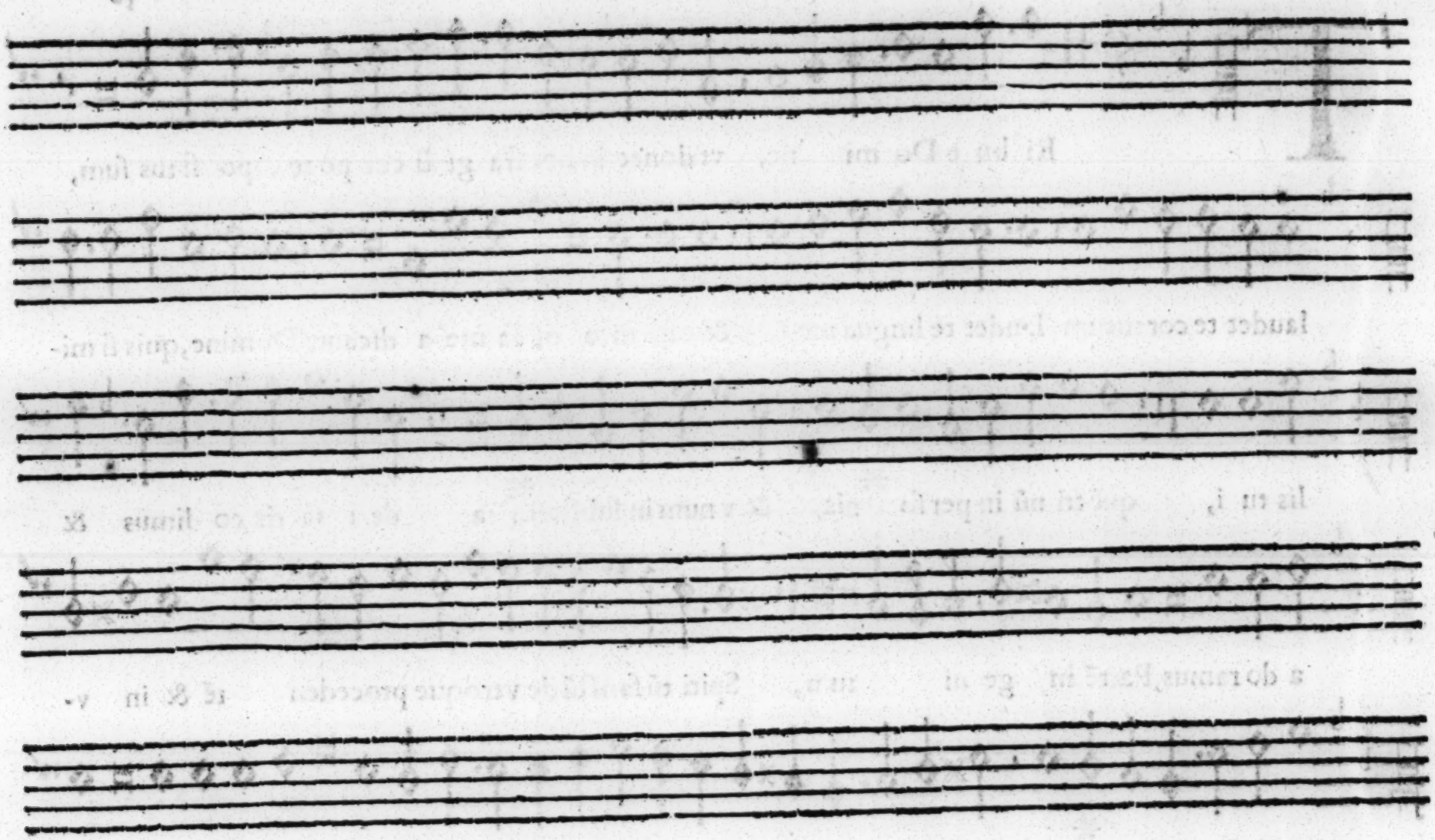

mi se re re me i pec ta ui ij de le culpas meas gra-
ti a tu a, gra ti a tu
gra ti a ij tu
a, gra ti a tu
a. ij tu o, in conspe ctu o,


Si enim in iniquitate ris corda be ris si e nim in iniqui ta tes re cor-
da be ris quis su sti ne at ij ij quis enim iu stus ij
qui se di ce ro qu do at si ne pecca to es se ij su ne pecca to es se
ij nullus est enim mũdus in conspe ctu tu i o, in conspectu tu o,
ij in conspectu tu o, ij in conspectu
tu


tu o, nullus eſt enim mun dus in cõſpectu tu o ij


in conſpectu tu o. ij


M
I se re re mi hi Do mi ne, ij
mi se re re
mi hi Do mine, ij
& ex au di ij
o ra ti onem meam,
CANON
Duæ partes in vna in diatesseron.
ij
Mi se re re mi
hi Do mi ne, & ex au-
di o ra ti onem me am me am, o ra ti onem me am.



TRi bu e Do mi ne, vt donec in hoc fra gi li cor po re po fi tus ſum,

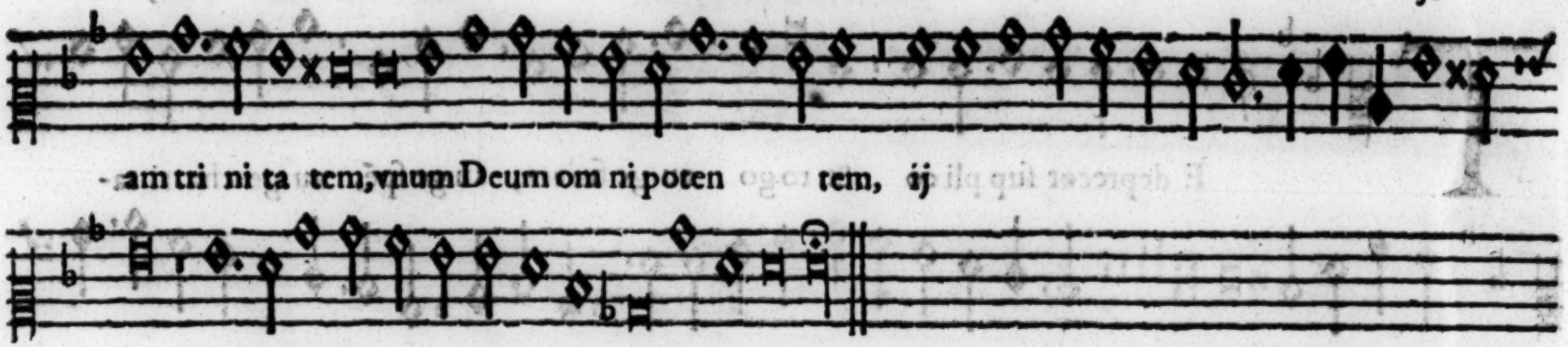
laudet te cor meum laudet te lingua me a, & om ni a oſ ſa me a dicant, Domine, quis ſi mi-
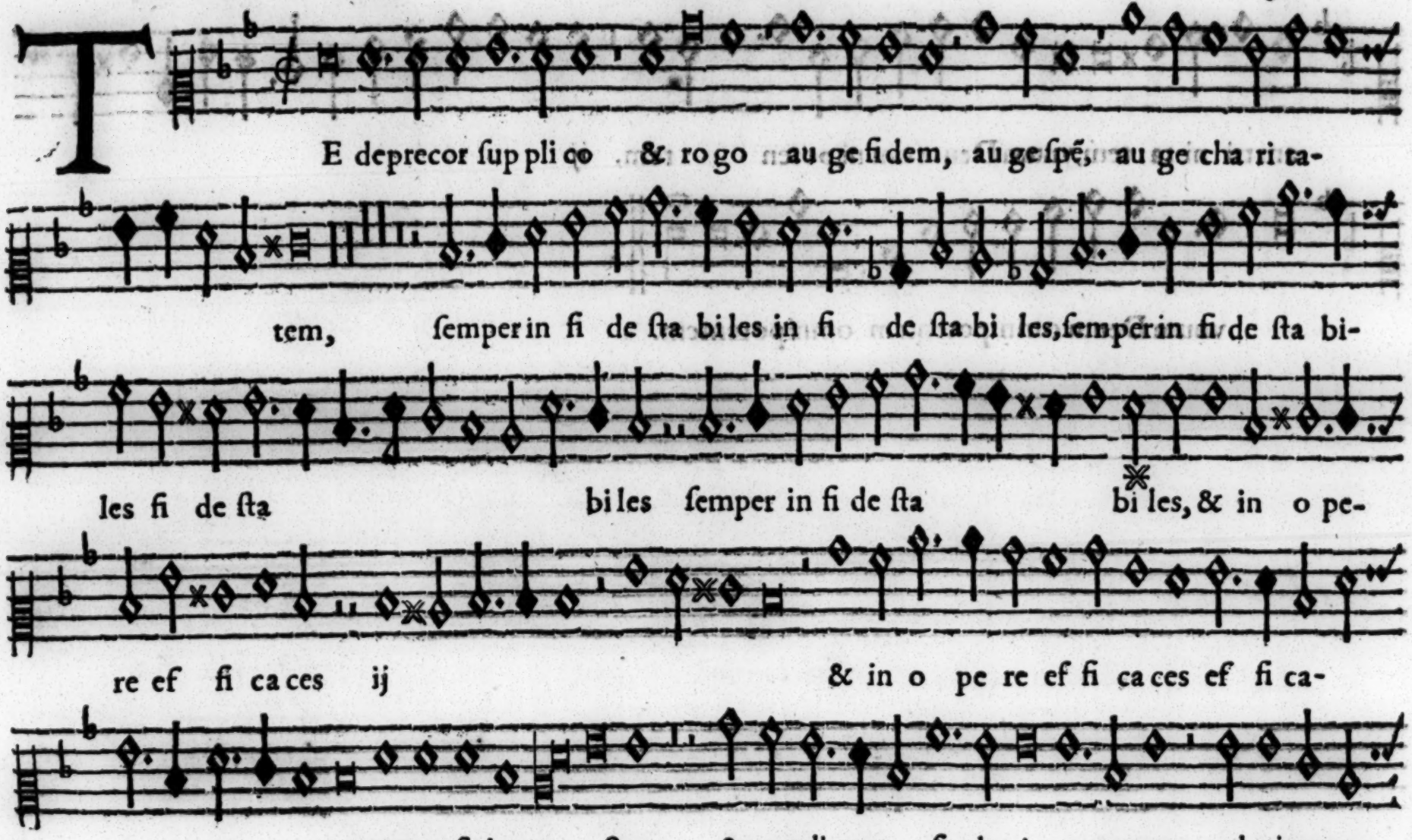
lis tu i, quẽ tri nũ in perſo nis, & v num in ſubſtanti a de i ta tis co limus &
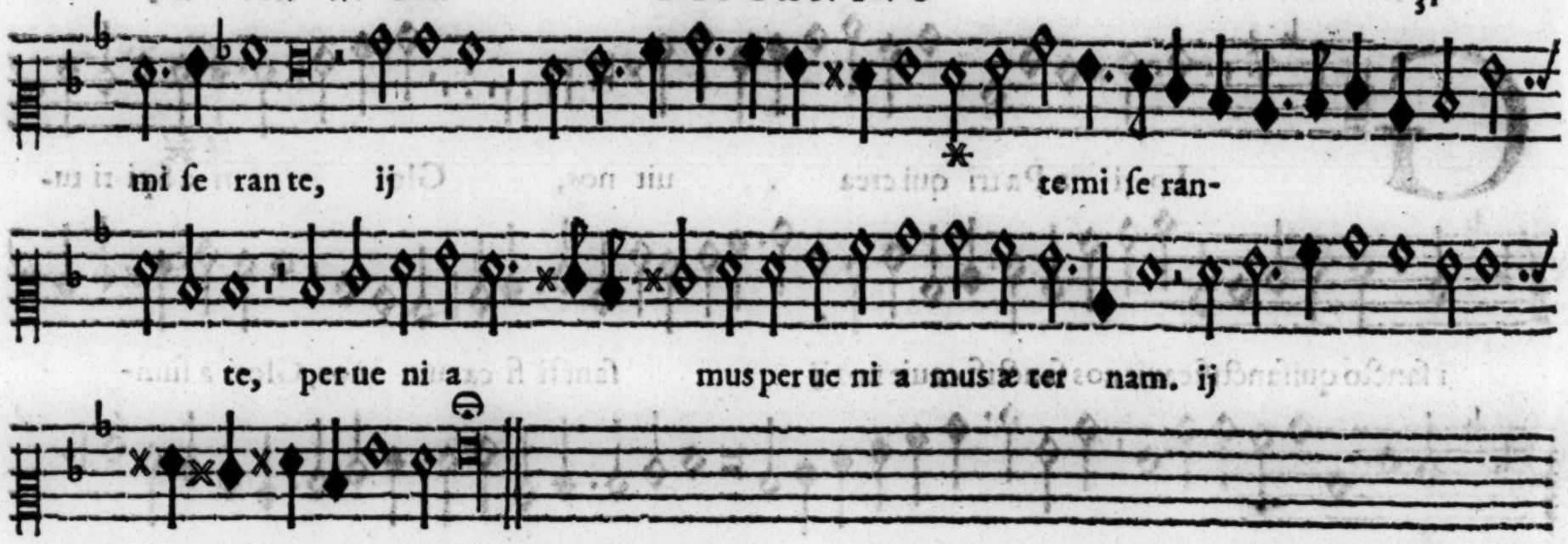
a do ramus, Patrẽ in ge ni tum, Spiri tũ ſanctũ de v troque proceden tẽ & in v-

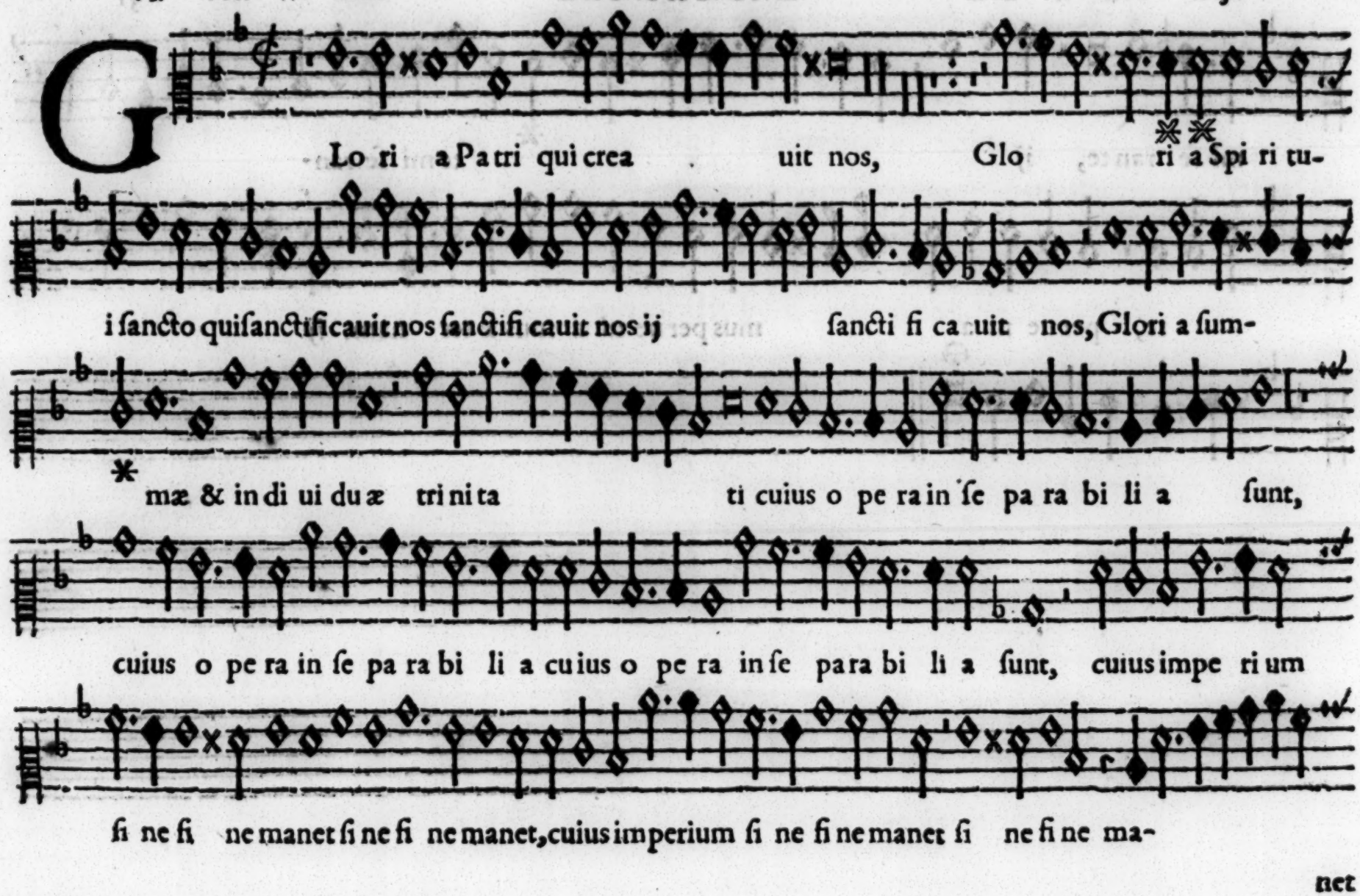
troque permanen tem permanen tem, Sanctã & in di ui du-

am


-am tri ni ta tem, vnum Deum om ni poten tem, ij
vnum Deum omnipotentem omnipotentem.


TE deprecor ſuppli co & rogo au ge fidem, au ge ſpẽ, au ge cha ri ta-
tem, ſemper in fi de ſta bi les in fi de ſta bi les, ſemper in fi de ſta bi-
les fi de ſta bi les ſemper in fi de ſta bi les, & in o pe-
re ef fi ca ces ij & in o pe re ef fi ca ces ef fi ca-
ces: vt per fi dem re ctam & condi gna fi de i o pe ra ad vitam, te


mi ſe ran te, ij te mi ſe ran-
te, per ue ni a mus per ue ni a mus æ ter nam. ij


Glo ri a Pa tri qui crea uit nos, Glo ri a Spi ri tu-
i ſancto quiſanctificauit nos ſanctifi cauit nos ij ſancti fi ca uit nos, Glori a ſum-
mæ & in di ui duæ tri ni ta ti cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt,
cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra bi li a cuius o pe ra in ſe para bi li a ſunt, cuius impe ri um
ſi ne fi ne manet ſi ne fi ne manet, cuius imperium ſi ne fi ne manet ſi ne fi ne ma-

net
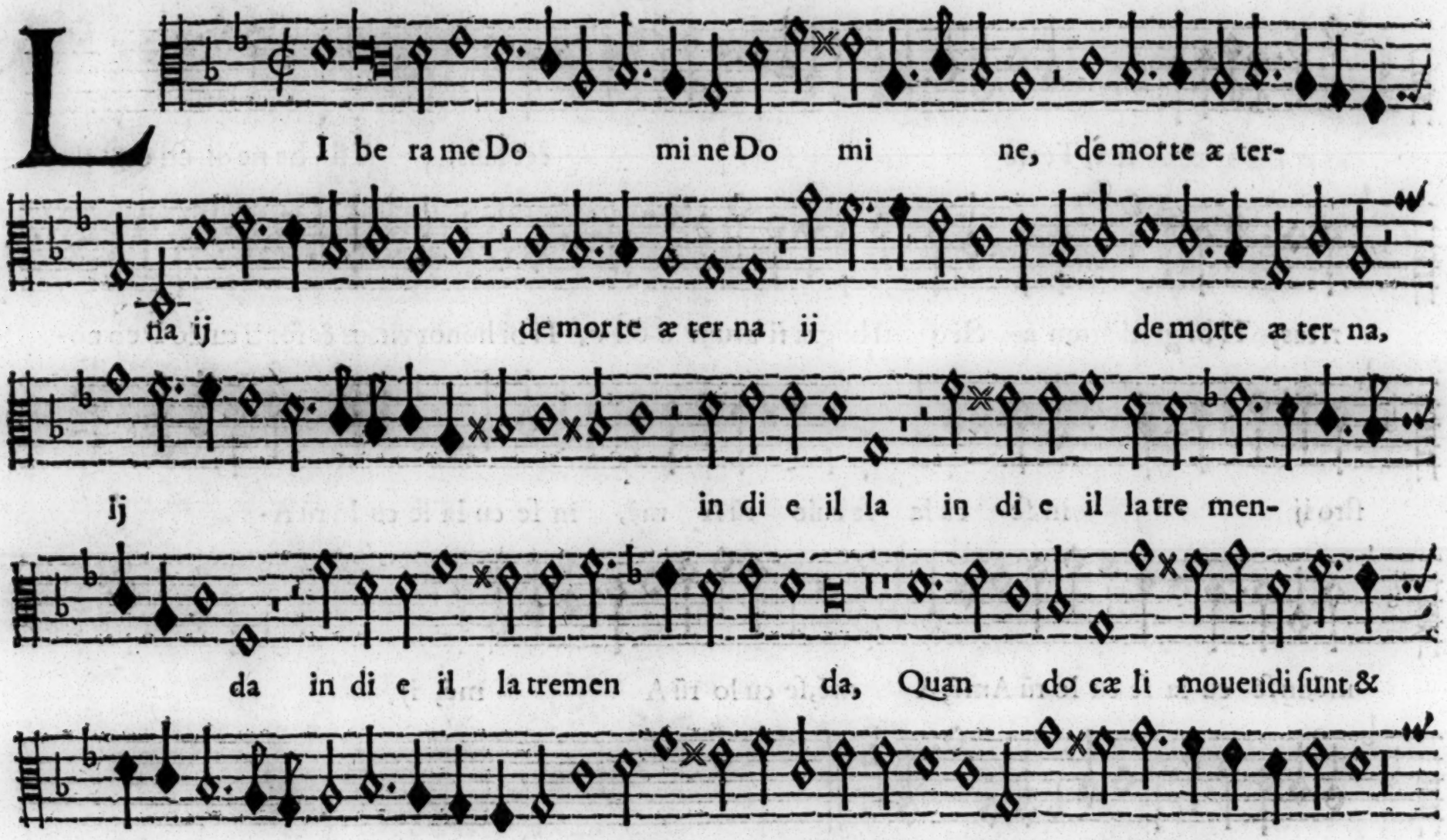
net, Te de cet laus, Tibi be ne di cti o & cla-

ri tas, Tibi grati arum a cti o ti bi gra ti arum a cti o, Tibi honor virtus & for ti tu do Deo no-
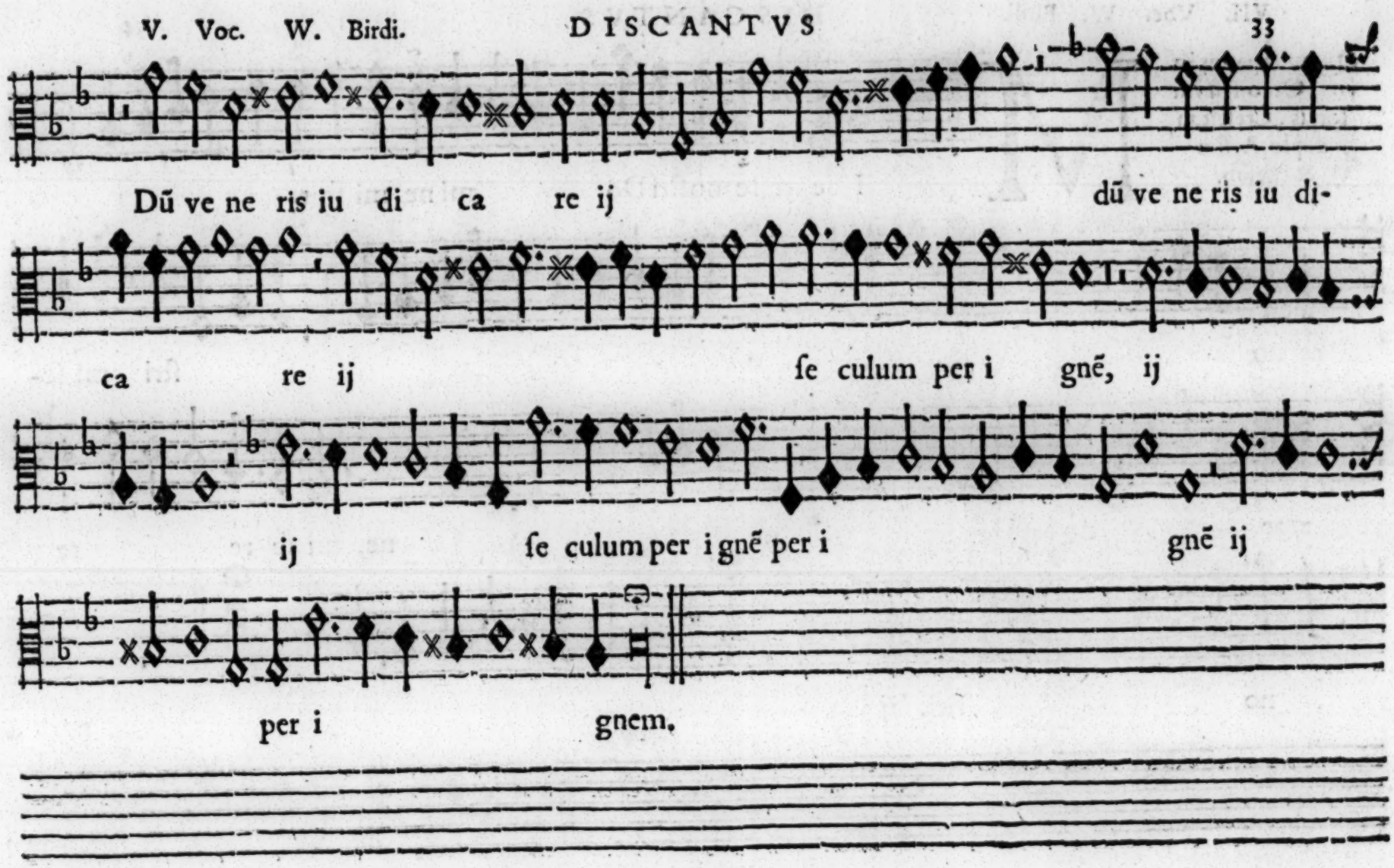
ſtro ij in ſe cu la ſe culo rũ A mẽ, in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ A-

mẽ, in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ A mẽ, A mẽ, ſe cu lo rũ A mẽ, ij

ſeculorum A mẽ, A men.


LI be ra me Do mi ne Do mi ne, de morte æ ter-
na ij de morte æ ter na ij de morte æ ter na,
ij in di e il la in di e il la tre men-
da in di e il la tremen da, Quan do cæ li mouendi ſunt &
ter ra cæ li mouendi ſunt & ter ra mouen di ſunt & ter ra,

Dum


Dũ ve ne ris iu di ca re ij
dũ ve ne ris iu di-
ca re ij
ſe culum per i gnẽ, ij
ij
ſe culum per i gnẽ per i
gnẽ ij
per i
gnem.

Quatuor partes in vna, Canon in vni ſonus, Creſcit in duplo, Arſim & theſim.

I ſe re re noſtri Do mi ne, mi ſe re-

re no ſtri mi ſe-

re re no ſtri Do mi ne, mi ſe re re

no ſtri. ij

## AVTORES CANTIONVM AD LECTOREM.

*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

# INDEX, IN QVO PRIOR NVMERVS NOTAT, QVOT PARTIVM SIT QVAEQVE CANTIO, POSTERIOR, SITV, & ordine quota sit,

| *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* |
|---|---|---|
| Absterge Domine. | 5. | 2. |
| Aspice Domine. | 6. | 10. |
| Attollite portas. | 6. | 11. |
| Derelinquit impius. | 5. | 13. |
| Da mihi auxilium, | 6. | 23. |
| Domine secundum. | 6. | 24. |
| Emendemus. | 5. | 4. |
| Facti sunt. | 5. | 22. |
| Gloria Patri. | 6. | 32. |
| In manus tuas. | 5. | 3. |
| Ille dum pergunt. | 5. | 16. |
| In ieiunio. | 5. | 26. |
| Libera me. | 5. | 5. |
| Laudate pueri. | 6. | 17. |
| Libera me. | 5. | 33. |
| Mihi autem | 5. | 7. |
| Memento homo. | 6. | 18. |
| Miserere mihi. | 6. | 29. |
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| O nata lux. | 5. | 8. |
| O sacrum conuiuium. | 5. | 9. |
| O lux. | 6. | 12. |
| Peccantem me. | 5. | 6. |
| Procul recedant. | 5. | 20. |

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| Saluator mundi. | 5. | 1. | Tribue Domine. | 6. | 30. |
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## Canones de duabus cantionibus.


Miſerere mihi, quatuor partes in duabus, cum duabus alijs ad placitum.
Miſerere noſtri, 6. partes in duabus, cum vna parte ad placitum.

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

## Maieſties letters patents to Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde,

### *for the printing of muſicke.*

*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokeſellers and other officers miniſters and ſubiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the eſpeciall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the ſcience of muſicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued ſeruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the aſſignes of them and of the ſuruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next enſuing, to imprint any and ſo many as they will of ſet ſonge or ſonges in partes, either in Engliſh, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may ſerue for muſicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwiſe to be either plaid or ſoonge, And that they may rule and cauſe to be ruled by impreſſion any paper to ſerue for printing or pricking of any ſonge or ſonges, and may ſell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any ſonge or ſonges, or any bookes or quieres of ſuch ruled paper imprinted, Alſo we ſtraightly by the ſame forbid all printers bokeſellers ſubiects & ſtrangers, other then as is aforeſaid, to do any the premiſſes, or to bring or cauſe to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any ſonge or ſonges made and printed in any forren countrie, to ſell or put to ſale, vpon paine of our high diſpleaſure, And the offender in any of the premiſſes for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and ſucceſſors fortie ſhllings, and to the ſaid Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their aſſignes & to the aſſignes of the ſuruiuer of thē, all & euery the ſaid bokes papers ſonge or ſonges, VVe haue alſo by the ſame willed & commaunded our printers, maiſters & wardens of the miſterie of ſtacioners, to aſſiſt the ſaid Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their aſſignes for the dewe executing of the premiſſes.*

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sicut dixit uobis. Alleluia. Alleluia

ergo fleret michi aut se pro

fixerit in monumento tu

dit duos angelos sedentes qu

ulerium dum meum es nos

cio ubi posuerit eum si tu su

stulisti eum dicito mihi ubi

t ego eum tollam alla. ℣ Ange-

Qui nobis ad celebrandum

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liberiores animos presta

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

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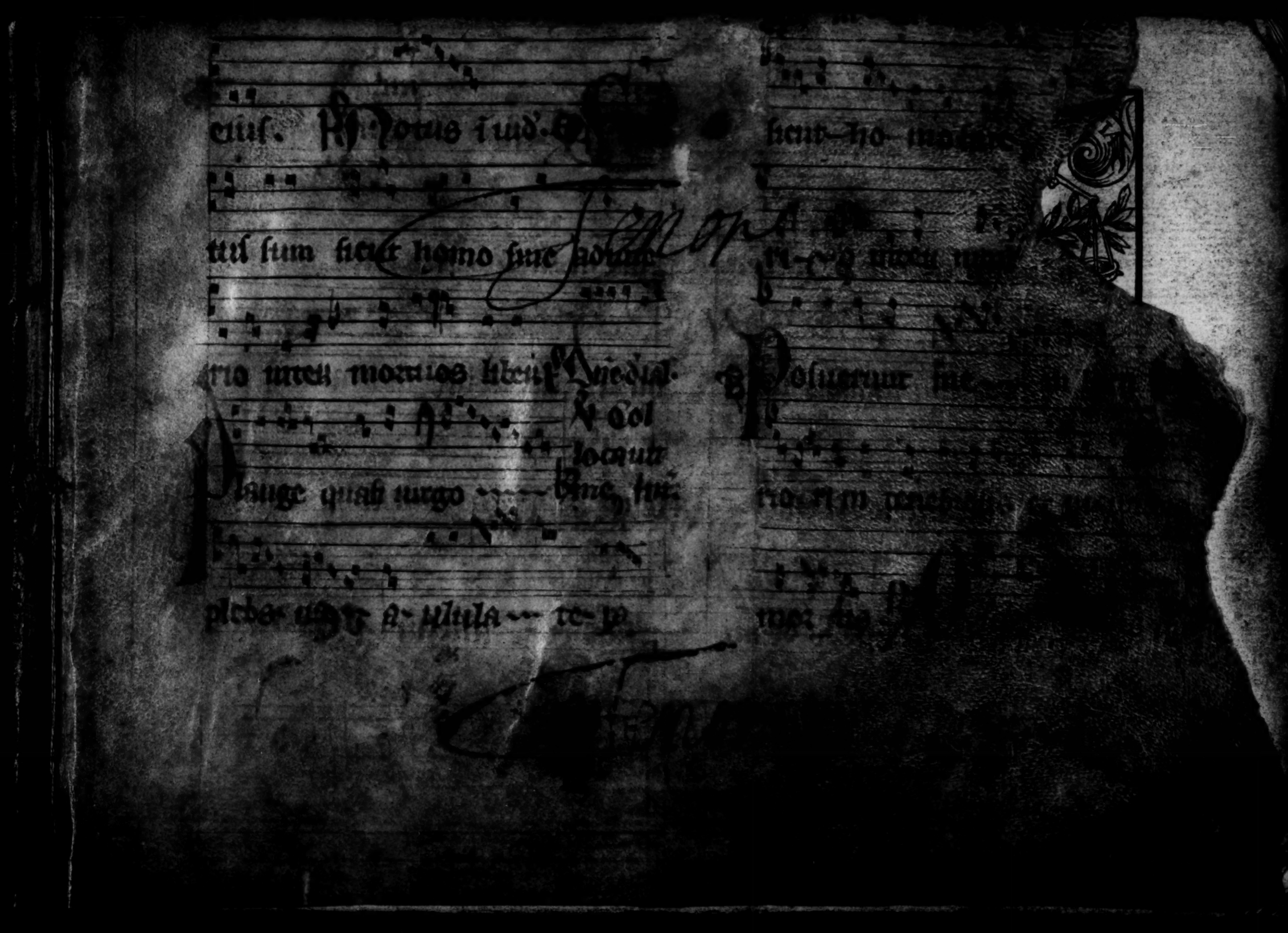
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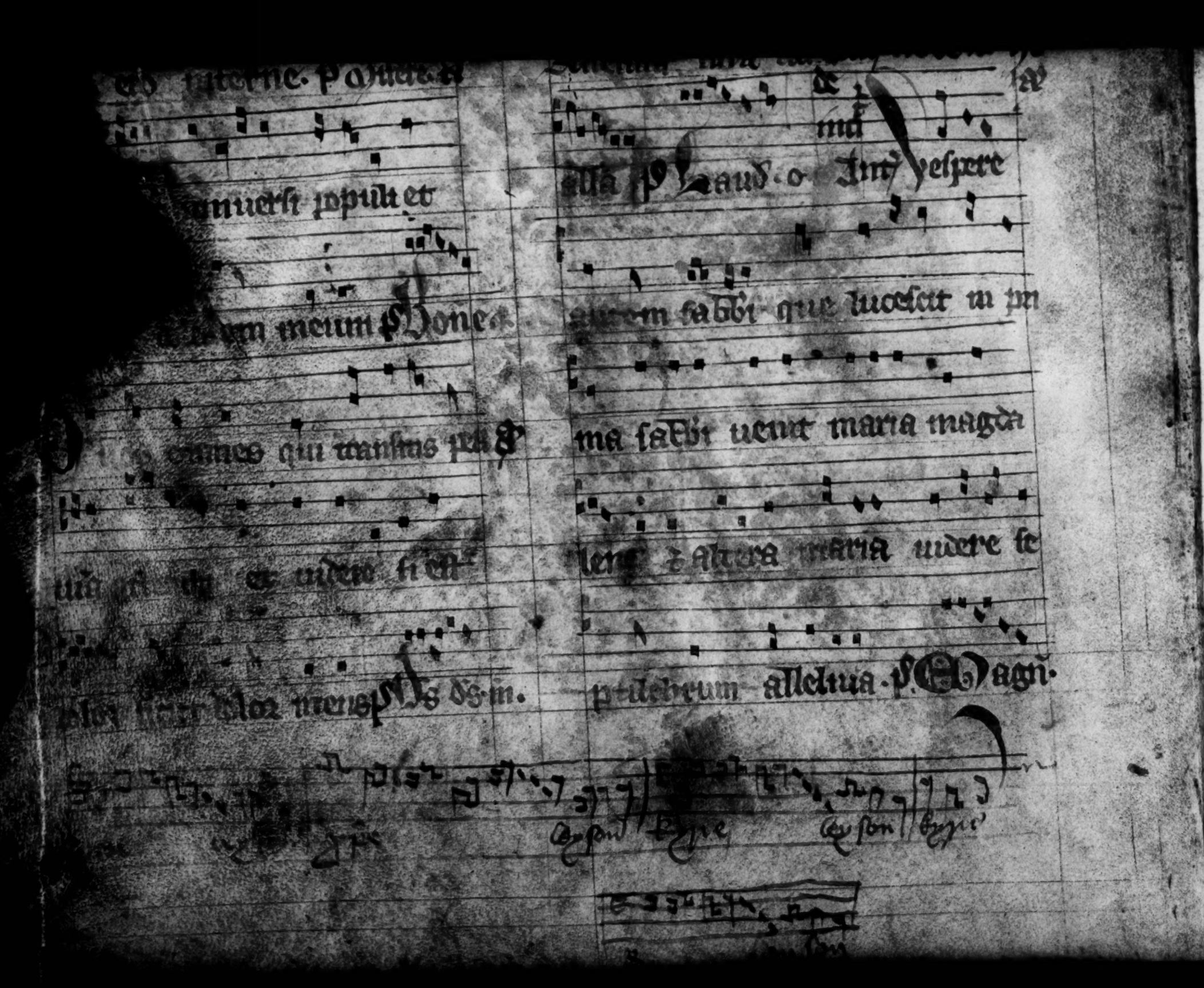
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contulisti. ℟ coronam largi ad defendendas
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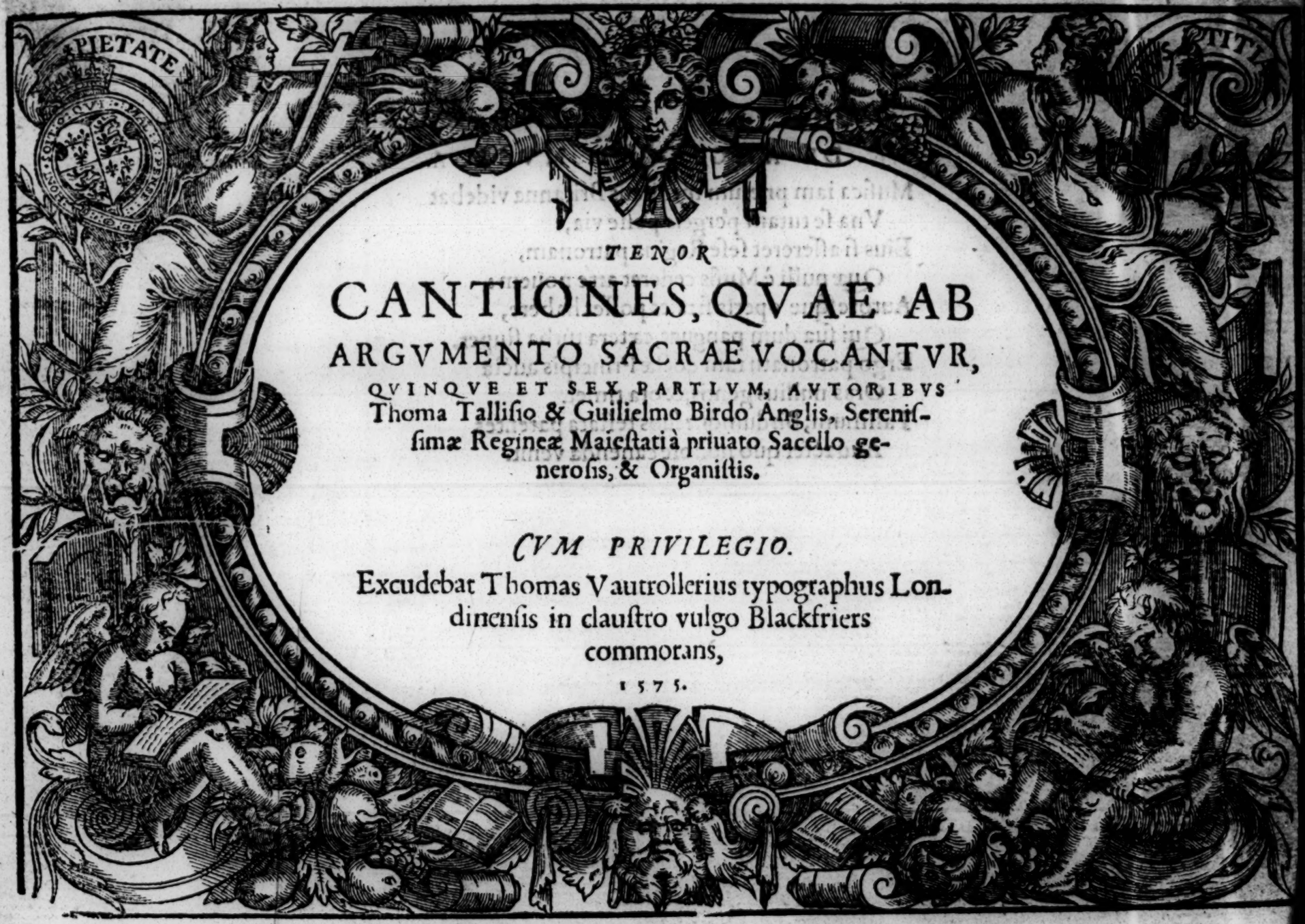
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TENOR

# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET SEX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſſimæ Regineæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

1575.

## DE ANGLORVM MVSICA.

Muſica iam prælum meditans Britanna videbat
Vna ſe tutam pergere poſſe via,
Eius ſi aſſereret ſeſe Regina patronam,
Quæ nulli è Muſis cederet arte nouem:
Autoreſque operis ſi tales poſſet habere,
Qui ſua dum pangunt, cætera turba ſtupet.
Ergo patronatu tam doctæ Principis aucta
Oras nullius gentis, & ora timet.
Talliſium, Birdumque ſuos teſtata parentes
Audacter quo non ore canenda venit.

# SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPI

## ELIZABETHAE DEI GRATIA ANGLIÆ, FRANCIÆ

& Hiberniæ Reginæ &c. virtutis & vitæ fortunatum progressum.



*Si nobis res esset, Serenissima Princeps, vel cum ijs, qui artem Musicam, quia non norunt, non probant, vel cum ijs, qui ipsi iudicio ex arte carentes eius præstantiam admirabili sonorum effectu metiuntur : Philosophos, Mathematicos, Rerumpub. architectos aduocaremus, qui eius necessarium Reipub. vsum argumentis & experiẽtia, vel infensissimo Musici nominis hosti extorquerent: Poëtas & allegoricè docẽtes quosdam Physicos citaremus, qui apud homines imperitos illos quidẽ, sed incredibili tamen rei Musicæ admiratione delinitos facile impetrarent, cum ea arte nullam esse aliam quæ de principatu possit contendere. Sed cum apud tuam Maiestatem res agatur quæ delectu tuo iudicium tuũ prodidisti, & canendi peritiã tibi probari, in eo probas omnibus, quod ei arti ita semper regiè incubueris, vt in ea iam egregiè profeceris, & cum summis artificibus comparata, vel vocis elegantia, vel digitorum agilitate facile illis præmineas, satis erit in tua solius scientia & iudicio conquiescere, neque pluribus ad fidem rei faciendam argumentis vti, ne vel dubitando suspicionẽ ementitæ laudis videamur alicui ingenerare, vel nimis curiosa argumentatione, aliquid de tuæ Maiestatis præstanti iudicio detrahere, quasi vel parum considerate eam primo cõplexa fueris vel iam de priori sentẽtia vacillare cœperis, cui si nostrã operã probamus, omnibus eam probatã iri cõfidimus, cũ iudicio tuo ab omnibus tãtum tribuatur. Qua itaque es peritia, Illustrissima Princeps, ad tuam Maiestatem, vt iudicem confugimus, qua clementia vt ad patronam nos recipimus, quæ prolem hanc nostram tua auctoritate sic apud omnes tueare, vt nos ipsos liberalissimo tuo stipendio hactenus aluisti. Confidentiæ nostræ ignoscet Serenissima Maiestas tua, quòd tantam Principem sic ausi simus interpellare, cum è solo voluntatis tuæ testimonio pendeat, debeamusne vlterius in hoc genere progredi, an hoc vno libro labores nostros terminare. Deus. opt. Max. Maiestatem tuam diu, incolumiter, fortunatè nobis conseruet.*

TVÆ MAIESTATIS
humillimi Seruientes. Tho.
Tall. & Guil. Birdus.


T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.

*QVanti sit precij res Musica, quamq; regendis*
*Insanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ sedem cuiuslibet esse,*
*E quibus efficitur Musica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Respublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Musica sedem*
*Obtineat, primo sitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quod & insignes medici, qui sana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conseruet, mentem Musica sana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philosophis annosa vetustas*
*Conspirans hanc est tota sequuta viam.*
*Sed neque posteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à se prorsus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum discrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet esse sibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Musica iure,*
*Vt quò quisque sapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo summo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maiestas ætatis gloria nostræ*
*Hanc in delicijs semper habere solet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipsa etiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel semper amarunt,*
*Ausæ sunt scriptis nobilitare suis.*
*Illustres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere scienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum nostra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, sed semper passa latere suos,*
*Tallisium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum discutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt sic,*
*Iudicio patriæ siquid honoris inest,*
*Nomen honoratum sibi promereatur vterq;,*
*Musica quà magnum peruia nomen habet.*
*Quorum iudicio fidens se pandit apertè*
*Musica, quam Oceani Regia diues alit.*

Richardus Mulcasterus.

# IN EANDEM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI MVSICAM.

Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Musica præcones cerneret esse sui,
Illorumque opera per summa cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce sonare,
Edere & immensæ posteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuisse modos,
Temporis Alphonsum nostri Phænica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet esse sua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impressum nomen habere libro.
Penè subirasci cœpit, nostrosque Britannos
Indignos donis insimulare suis.
Quos certò scierat multum potuisse canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent tristem finire querelam,
Tallisius magno dignus honore senex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magistrum,
Promittunt posthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendosque suos cantus, sua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis passus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio sint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, si pueris rudibus censura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata stylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet esse suos
Hæc habui, venerande senex, mihi magne magister,
Danda tibi mentis conscia signa meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis nostræ spes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum sic orno magistrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod si quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Musica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita nostræ,
Quin debere mihi se quoque Musa putet.
Interea, mihi dum succrescit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi sint bona signa boni.

*Ferdinandus Richardsonus.*

Al ua tor mũ di ſal ua nos ſal ua nos, ſal ua tor

mũ di ſal ua nos ſalua nos, qui per crucẽ & ſangui nẽ re de mi ſti nos re de mi-

ſti nos, au xi li a re no bis ij te

de pre camur De us noſter, De us noſter te de precamur De-

us noſter De us no ſter ij

A bſterge Domine ij ij de li ctame a quæ

in ſci enter iu ue nis fe ci, & ignoſ ce pœniten ti, nã tu es nã

tu es De us me us, ti bi ſo li fi dit ti bi ſo li fi dit a ni ma me-

a, ij tu es ſa lus me a tu es ſa lus mea, ij

tu es ſalus me a, do lo rẽ me um teſtãtur lachrimæ me æ

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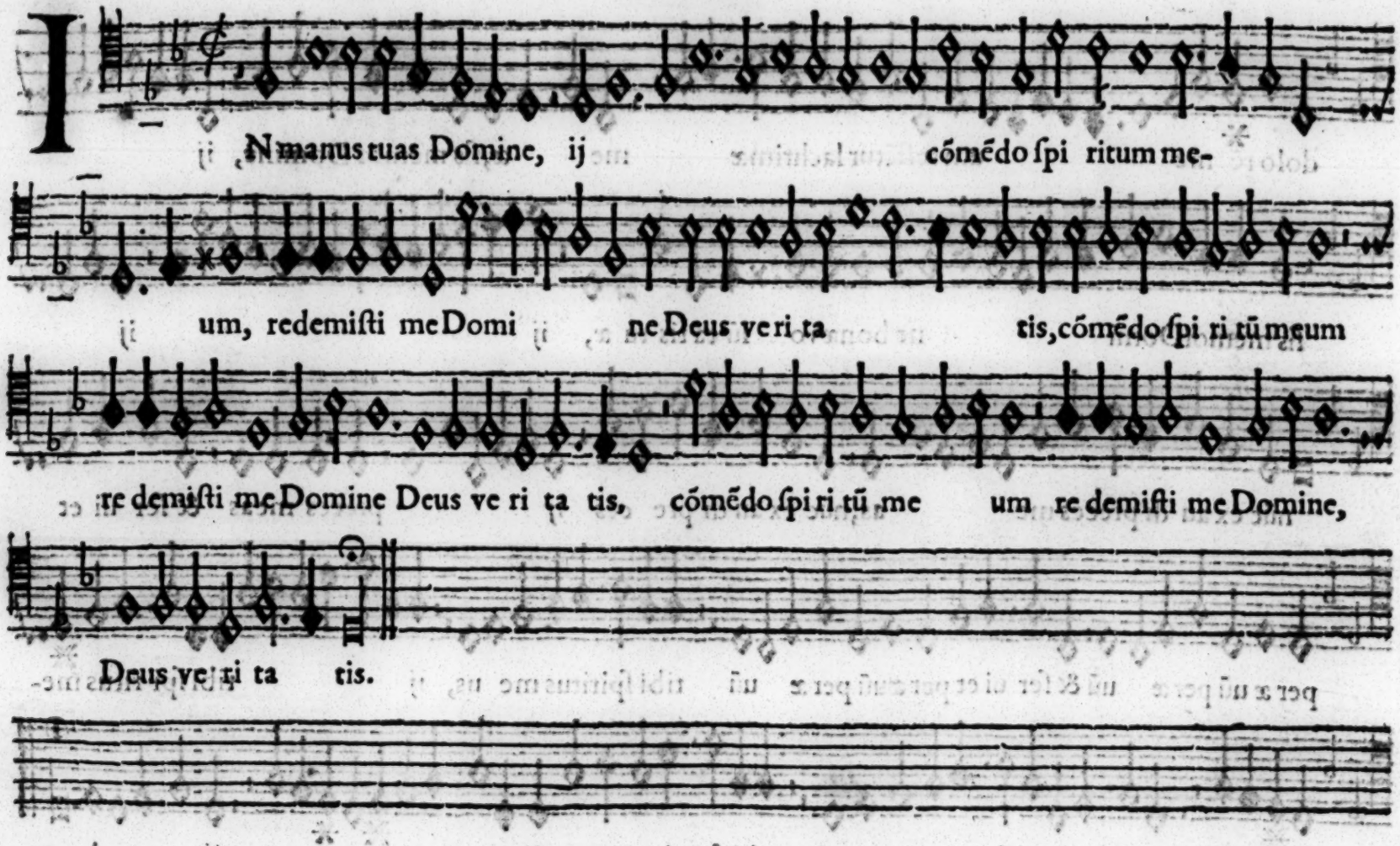
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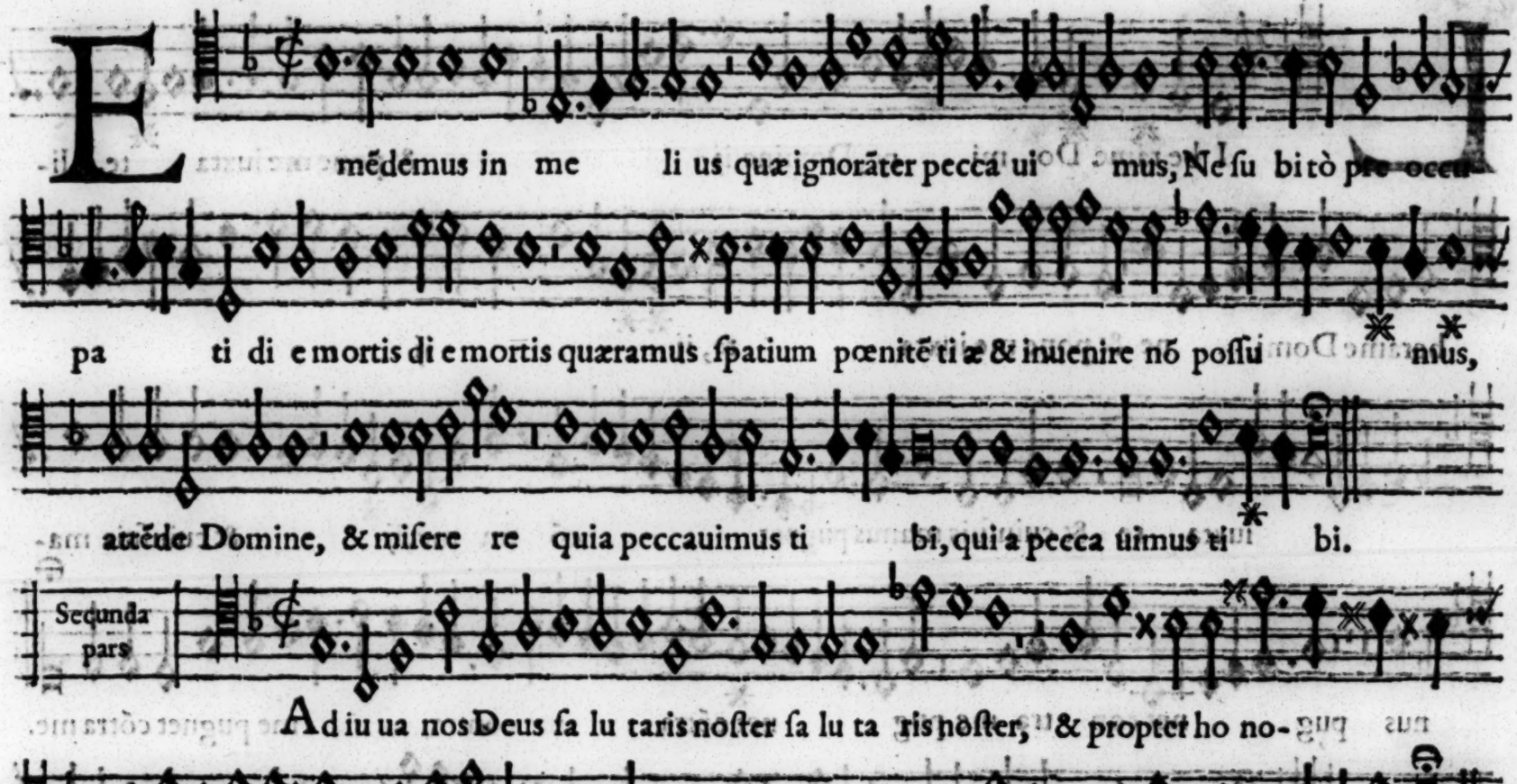
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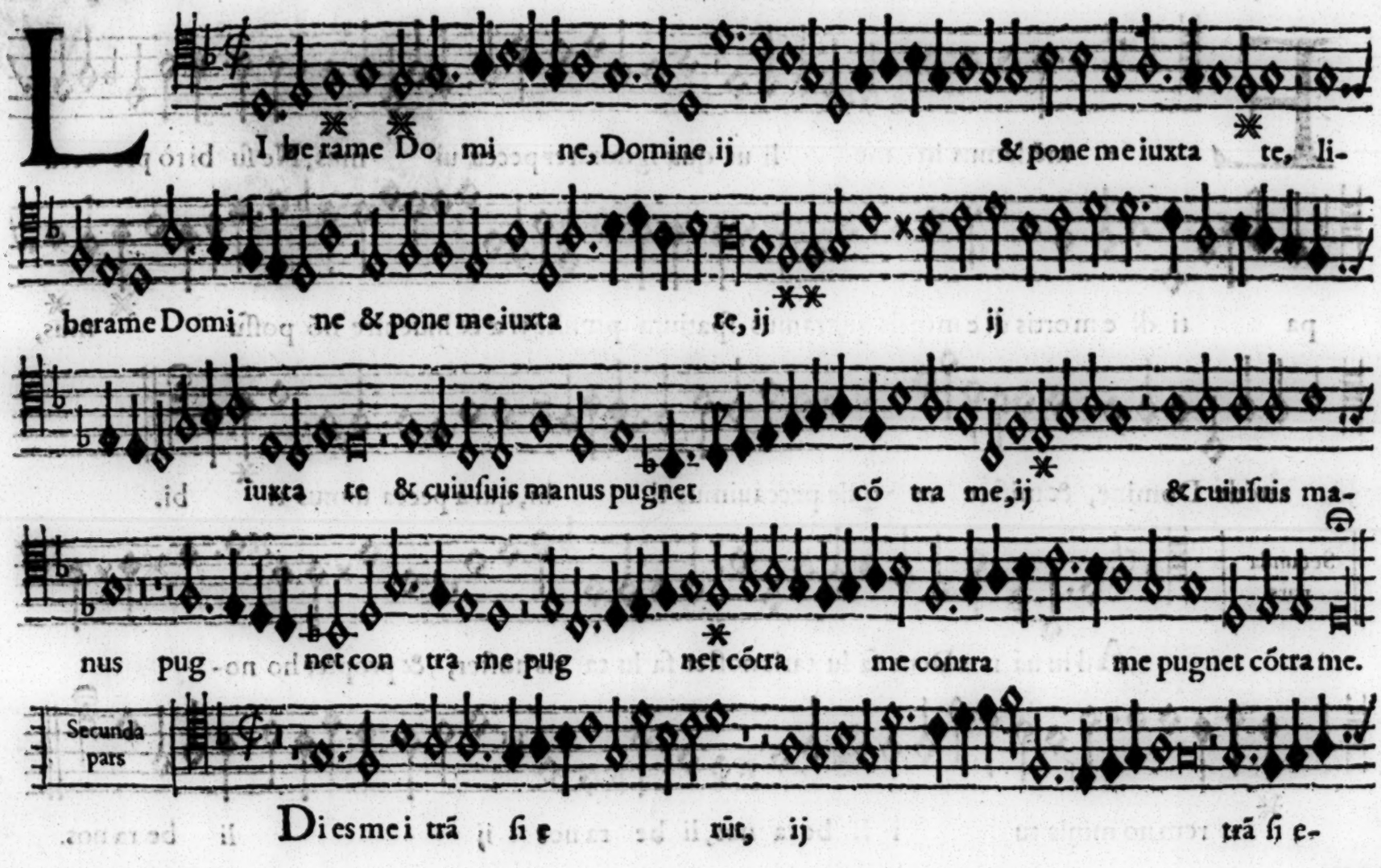
nũc ex au di preces me as, nũc ex au di pre ces ij preces meas & ſer ui et

per æ uũ per æ uũ & ſer ui et per æuũ per æ uũ tibi ſpiritus me us, ij tibi ſpi ritus me-

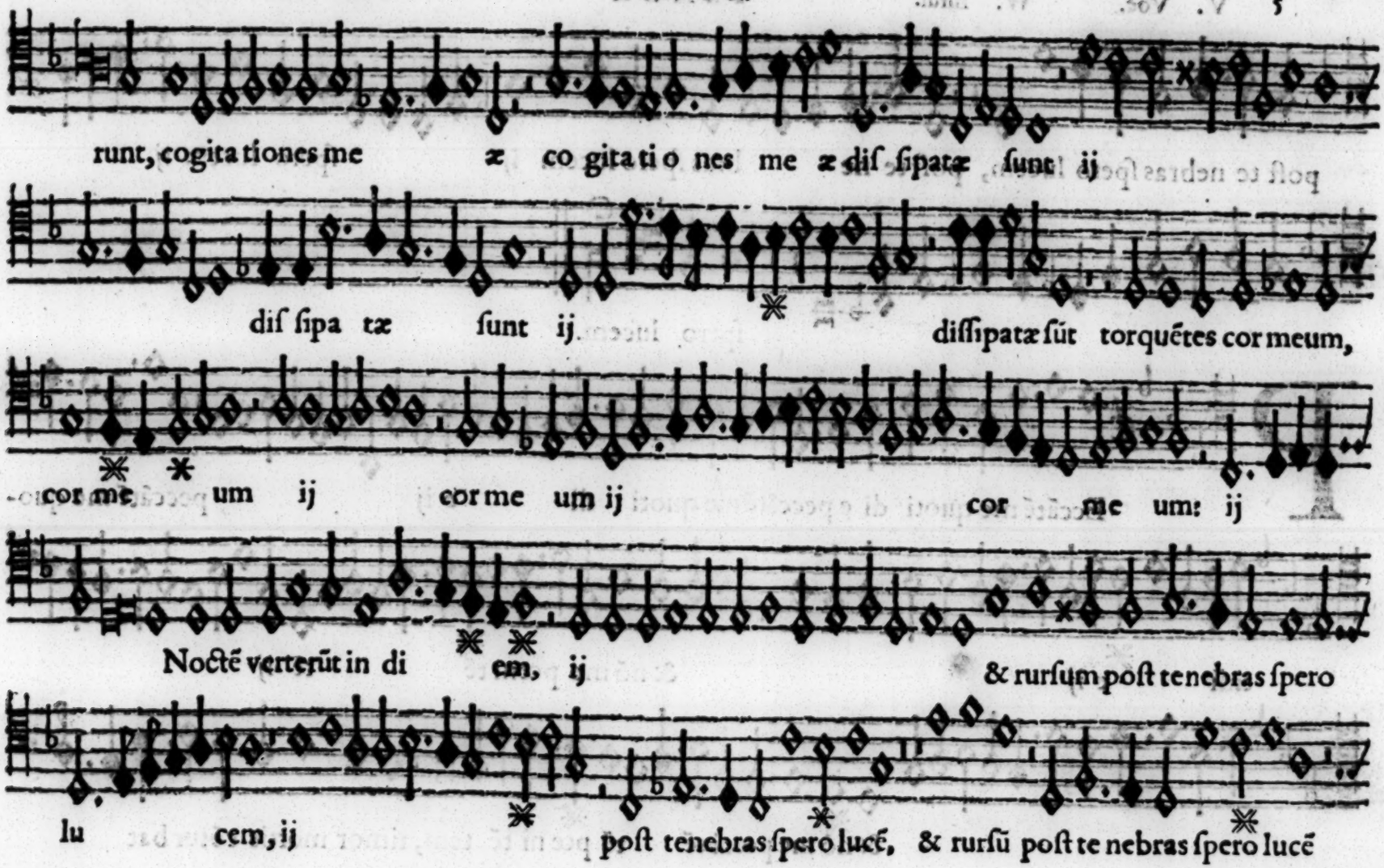
us, ij & ſer uiet per æ uũ tibi ſpi ritus meus, ij ij Amen.

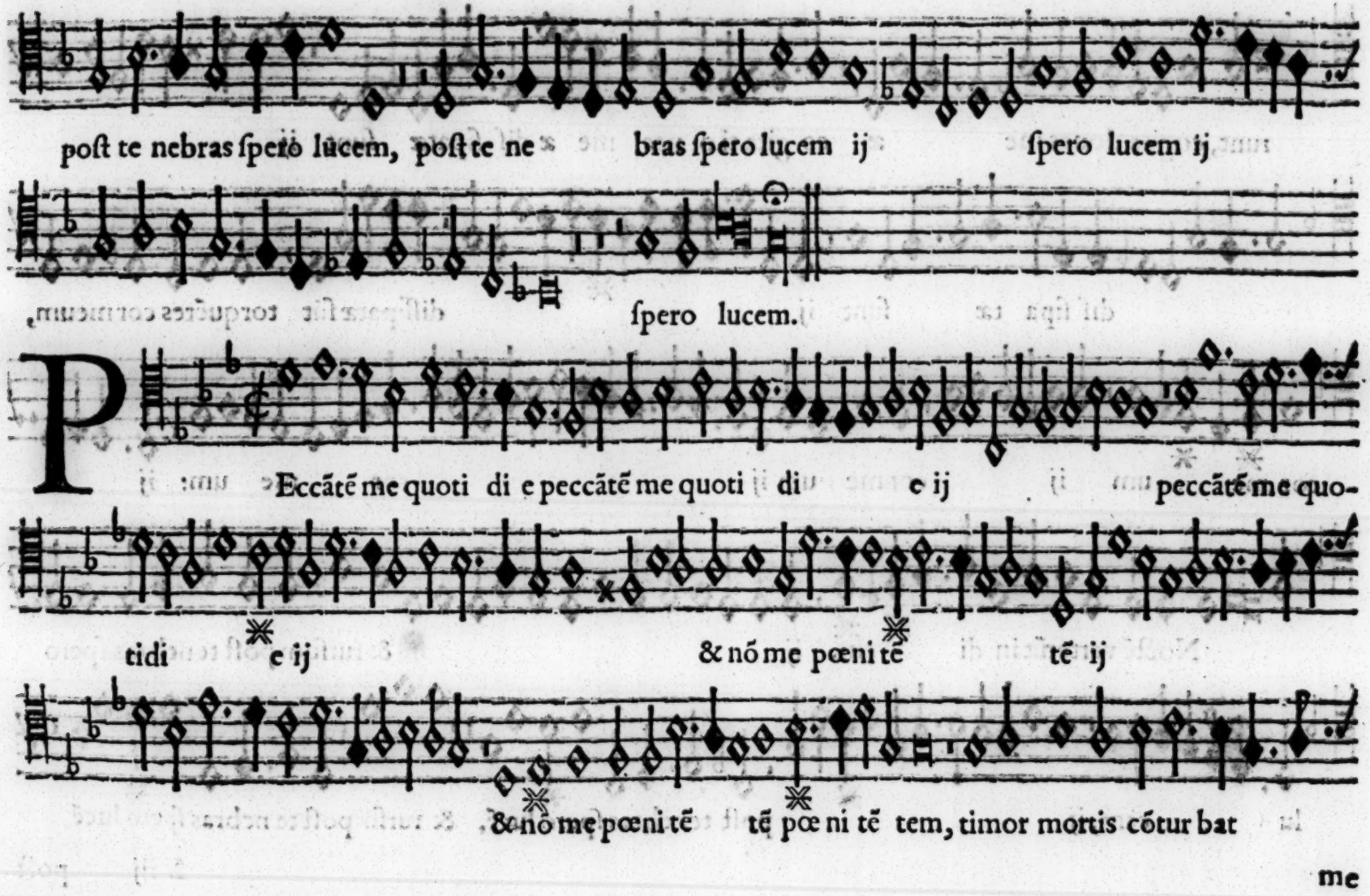

IN manus tuas Domine, ij cõmẽdo ſpi ritum me-
um, redemiſti me Domi ne Deus ve ri ta tis, cõmẽdo ſpi ri tũ meum
re demiſti me Domine Deus ve ri ta tis, cõmẽdo ſpi ri tũ me um re demiſti me Domine,
Deus ve ri ta tis.


Emẽdemus in me li us quæ ignorãter pecca ui mus, Ne ſu bi tò pre-occu-
pa ti di e mortis di e mortis quæramus ſpatium pœnitẽ ti æ & inuenire nõ poſſu mus,
attẽde Domine, & miſere re quia peccauimus ti bi, qui a pecca uimus ti bi.
Secunda pars
Ad iu ua nos Deus ſa lu taris noſter ſa lu ta ris noſter, & propter ho no-
rem no minis tu i li be ra nos, li be ra nos ij li be ra nos.
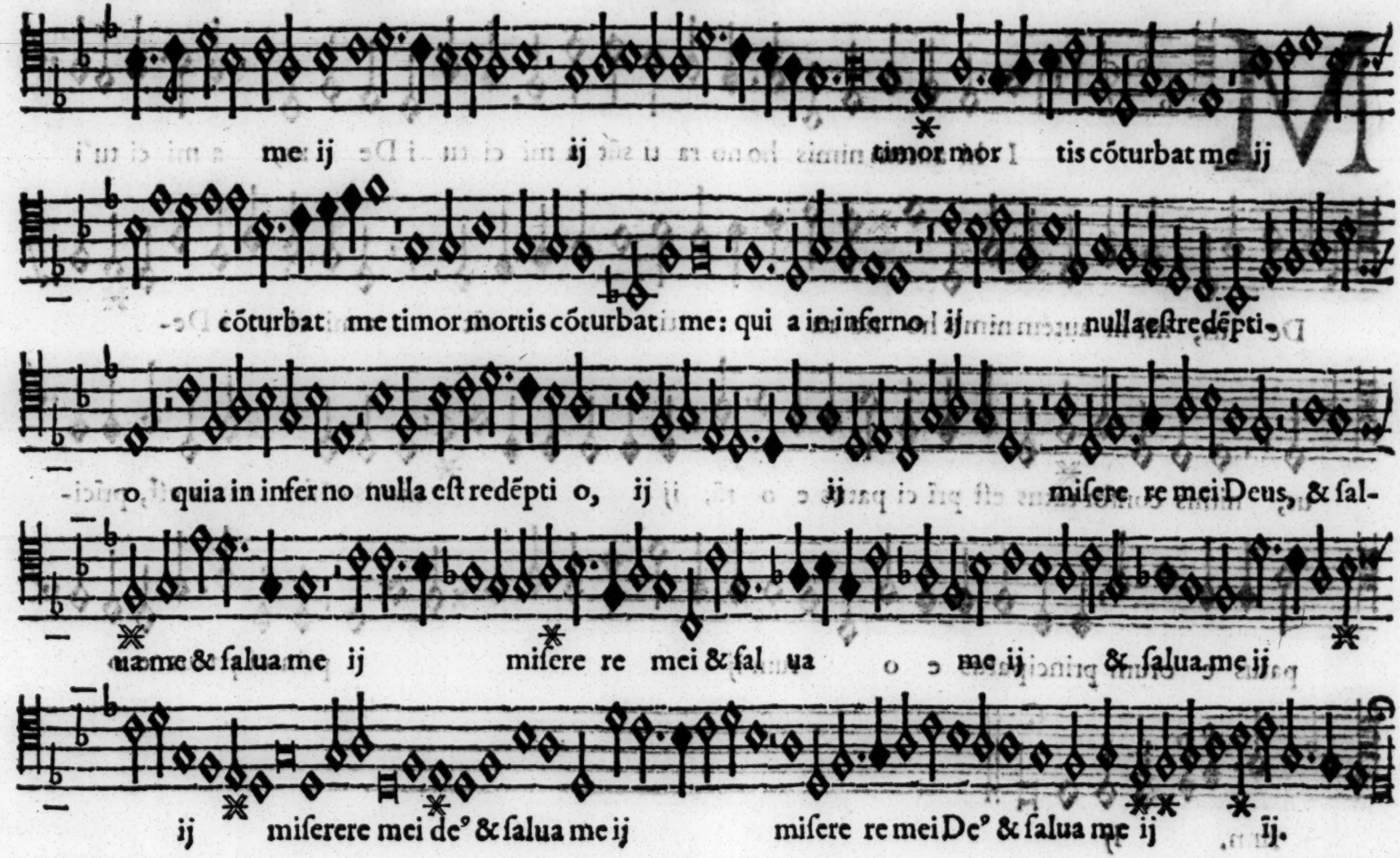

Liberame Domine ij & pone me iuxta te, liberame Domine & pone me iuxta te, ij ij
iuxta te & cuiuſuis manus pugnet cõtra me, ij & cuiuſuis manus pugnet cõtra me.
Secunda pars
Dies mei trã ſi e rũt, ij trã ſi e-

runt


runt, cogita tiones me æ co gita ti o nes me æ diſ ſipatæ ſunt ij
diſ ſipa tæ ſunt ij. diſſipatæ ſũt torquẽtes cor meum,
cor me um ij cor me um ij cor me um ij
Noctẽ verterũt in di em, ij & rurſum poſt tenebras ſpero
lu cem, ij poſt tenebras ſpero lucẽ, & rurſũ poſt te nebras ſpero lucẽ


poſt te nebras ſpero lucem, poſt te ne bras ſpero lucem ij ſpero lucem ij
ſpero lucem.
Eccātē me quoti di e peccātē me quoti di e ij peccātē me quo-
tidi e ij & nō me pœni tē tē ij
& nō me pœni tē tē pœ ni tē tem, timor mortis cōtur bat

me


me: ij ij timor mor tis cõturbat me ij
cõturbat me timor mortis cõturbat me: qui a in inferno ij nulla est redẽpti-
o, quia in infer no nulla est redẽpti o, ij ij ij miſere re mei Deus, & ſal-
uæme & ſalua me ij miſere re mei & ſal ua me ij & ſalua me ij
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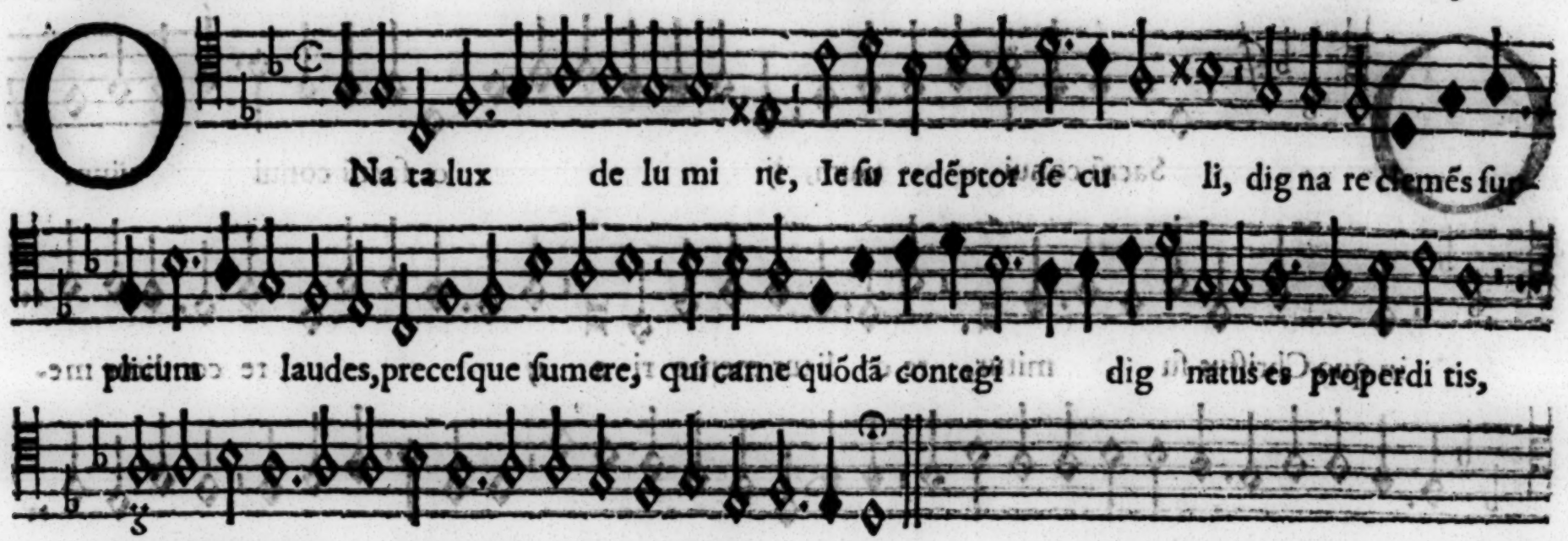
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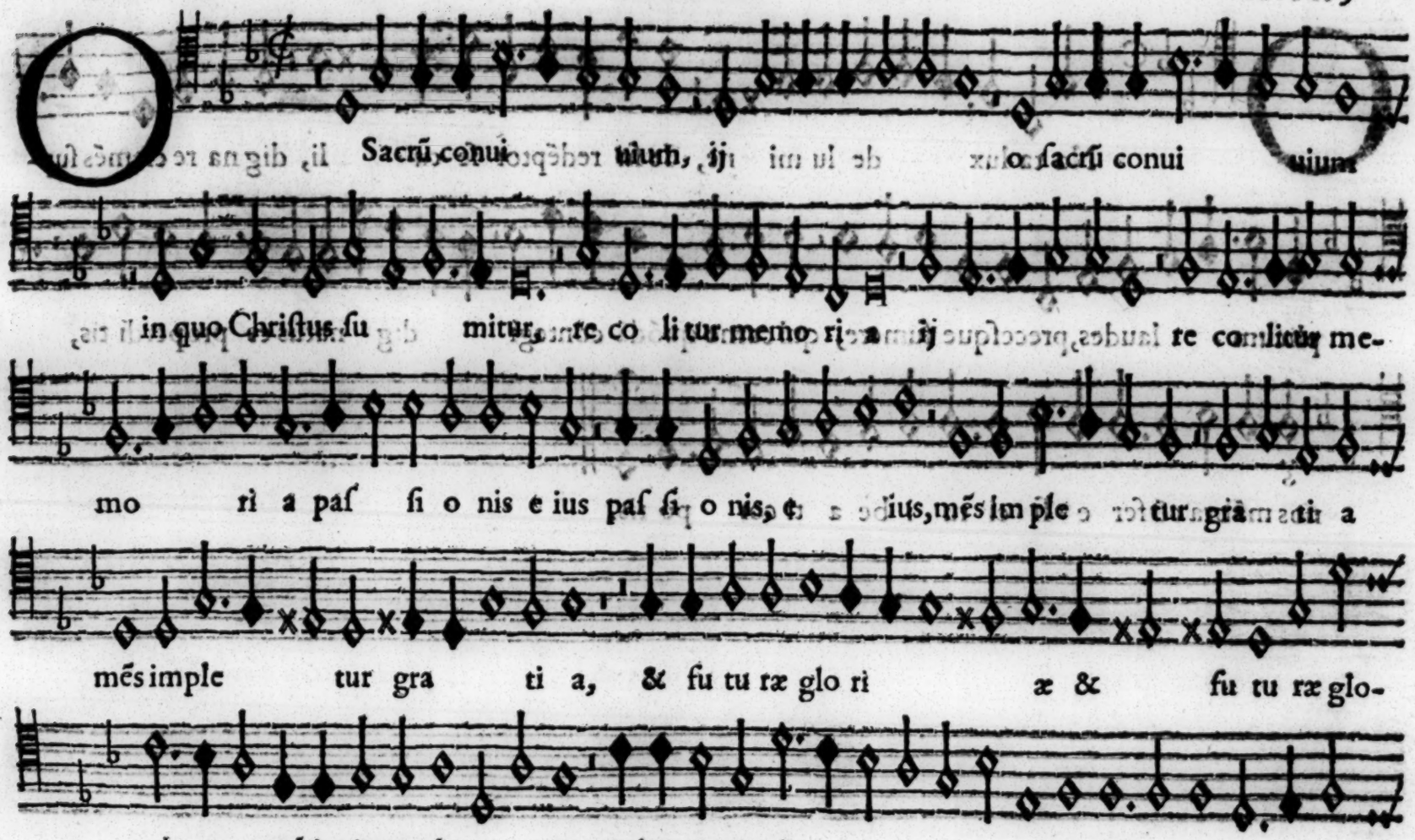
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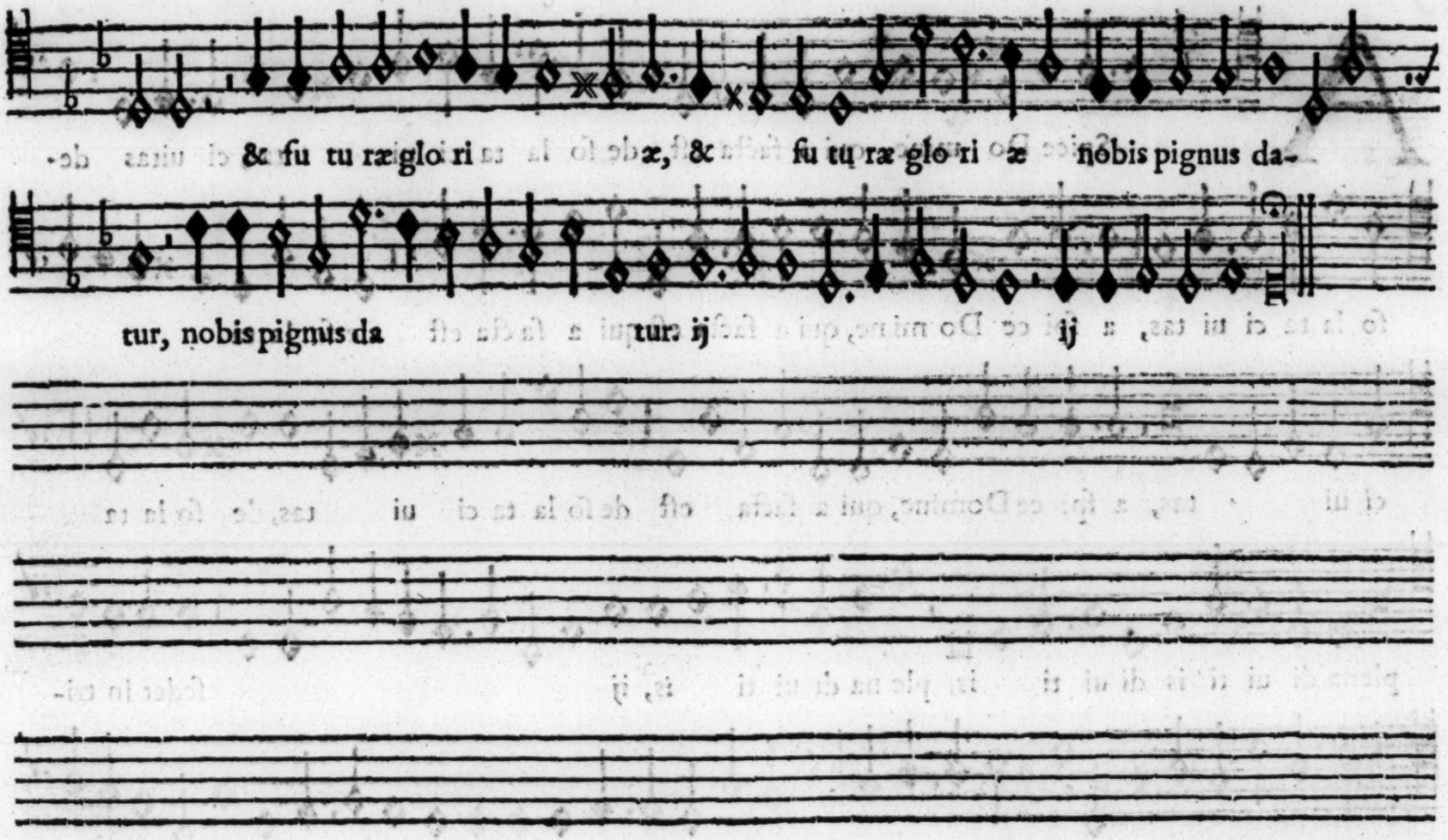
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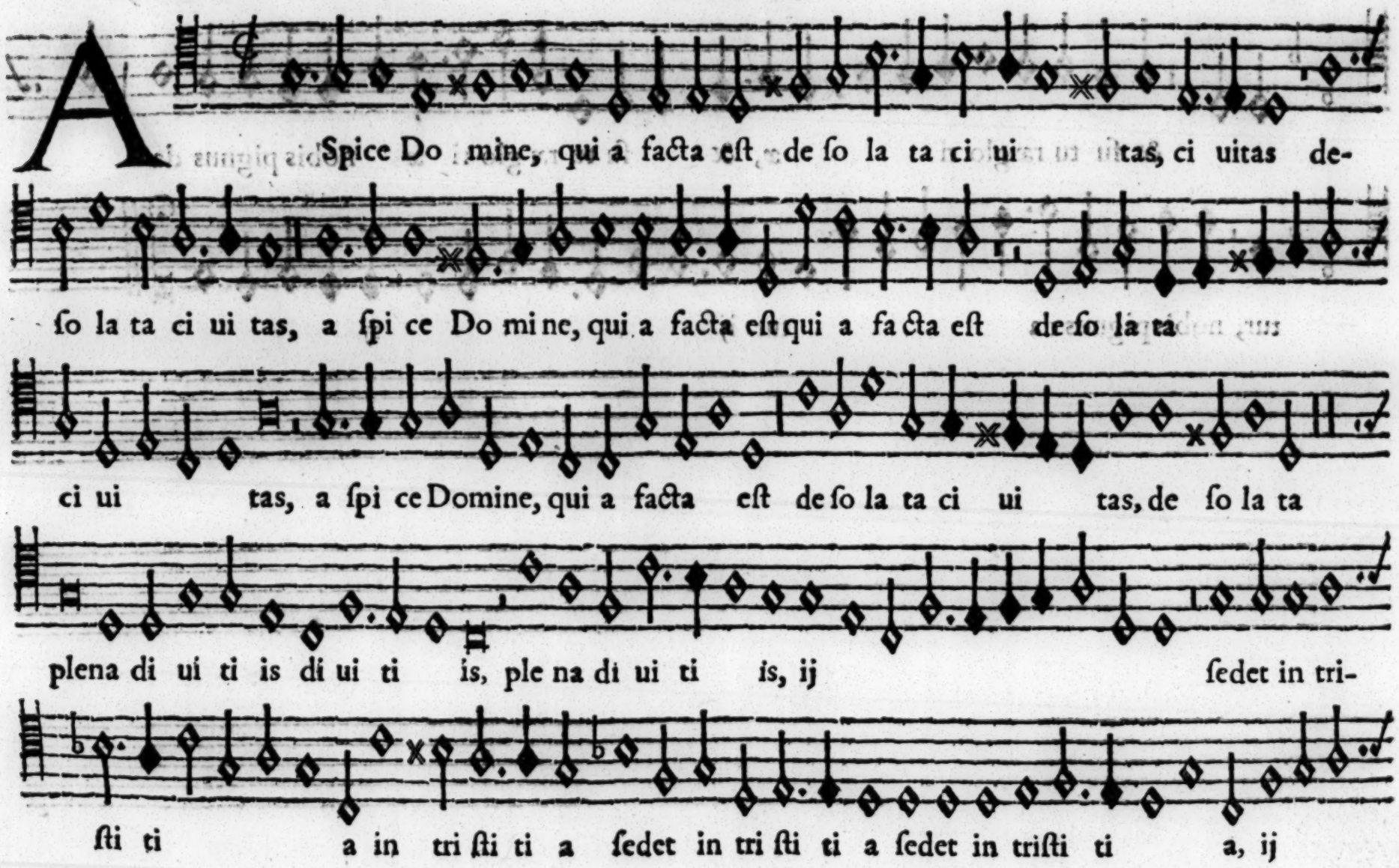
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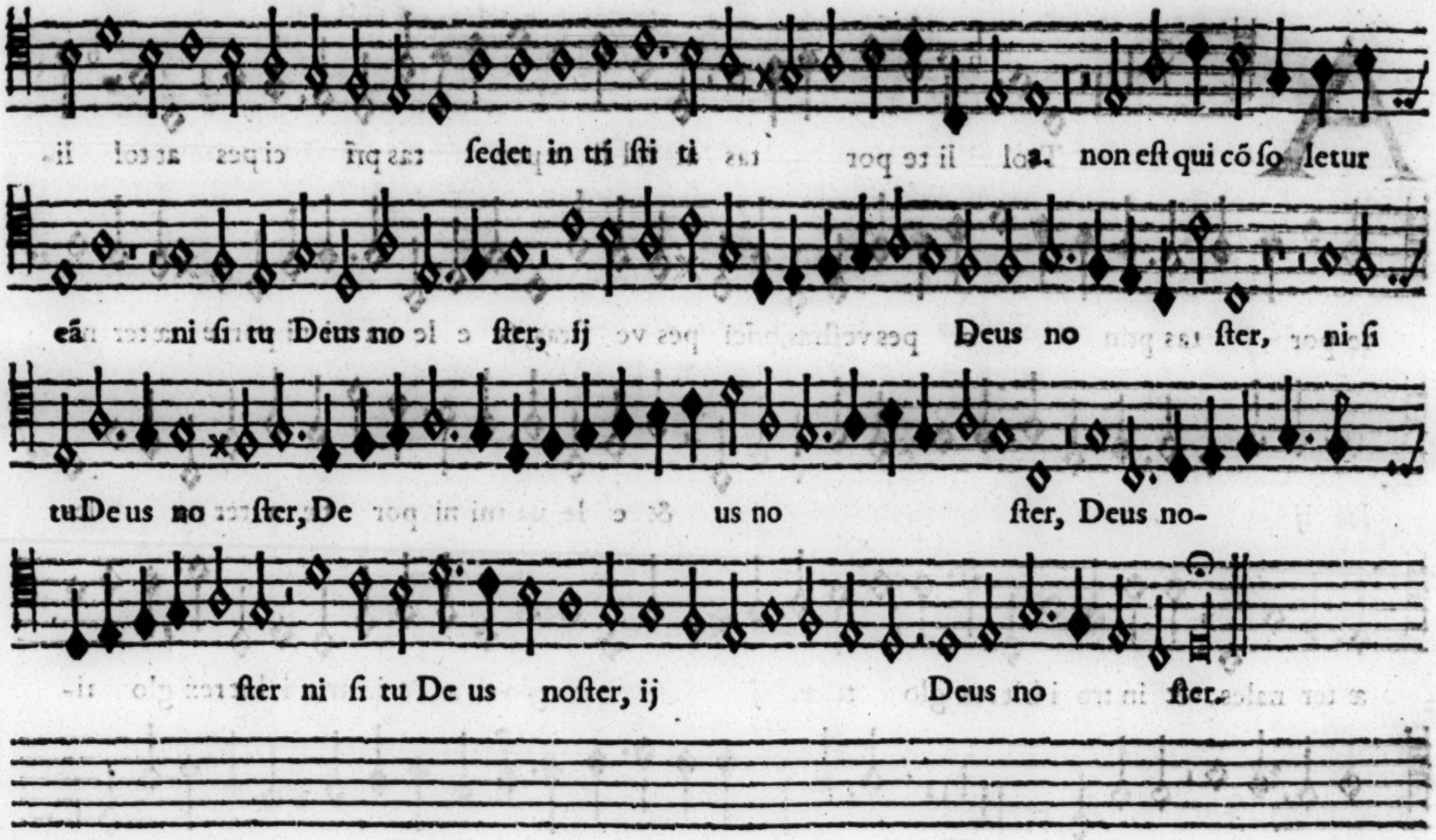
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O Na ta lux de lu mi ne, Ie su redẽptor se cu li, dig na re clemẽs sup-
plicum laudes, precesque sumere, qui carne quõdã contegi dig natus es properdi tis,
nos mẽbra cõfer e fi ci tu i be a ti cor po ris.


O Sacrũ conuiuium, ij
Sacrũ conuiuium, ij
in quo Christus su mitur, recolitur memoria ij
recolitur memoria ij
mo ri a pas si o nis e ius pas si o nis, & mẽs imple tur grã ti a
mẽs imple tur gra ti a, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ & fu tu ræ glo-
ri æ nobis pignus da tur nobis pignus da tur, ij


& fu tu ræ glo ri æ, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ nobis pignus da-
tur, nobis pignus da tur. ij


ASpice Do mine, qui a facta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, ci uitas de-
ſo la ta ci ui tas, a ſpi ce Do mi ne, qui a facta eſt qui a fa cta eſt de ſo la ta
ci ui tas, a ſpi ce Domine, qui a facta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, de ſo la ta
plena di ui ti is di ui ti is, ple na di ui ti is, ij ſedet in tri-
ſti ti a in tri ſti ti a ſedet in tri ſti ti a ſedet in triſti ti a, ij


ſedet in triſtitia. non eſt qui cõſoletur
eã ni ſi tu Deus noſter, ij Deus noſter, ni ſi
tu Deus noſter, Deus noſter, Deus noſter, Deus no-
ſter ni ſi tu Deus noſter, ij Deus noſter.

A Tol li te por tas at tol li te por tas prī ci pes at tol li-

te por tas prin ci pes veſtras, prīci pes ve ſtras, & e le ua mi ni portæ æter nà-

les ij & e le ua mi ni por tæ æ ter na les

æ ter nales, & in tro i bit rex glo ri æ, ij rex glo ri æ & in tro i bit rex glo ri-

æ? ij Quis eſt i ſte rex glo ri æ:

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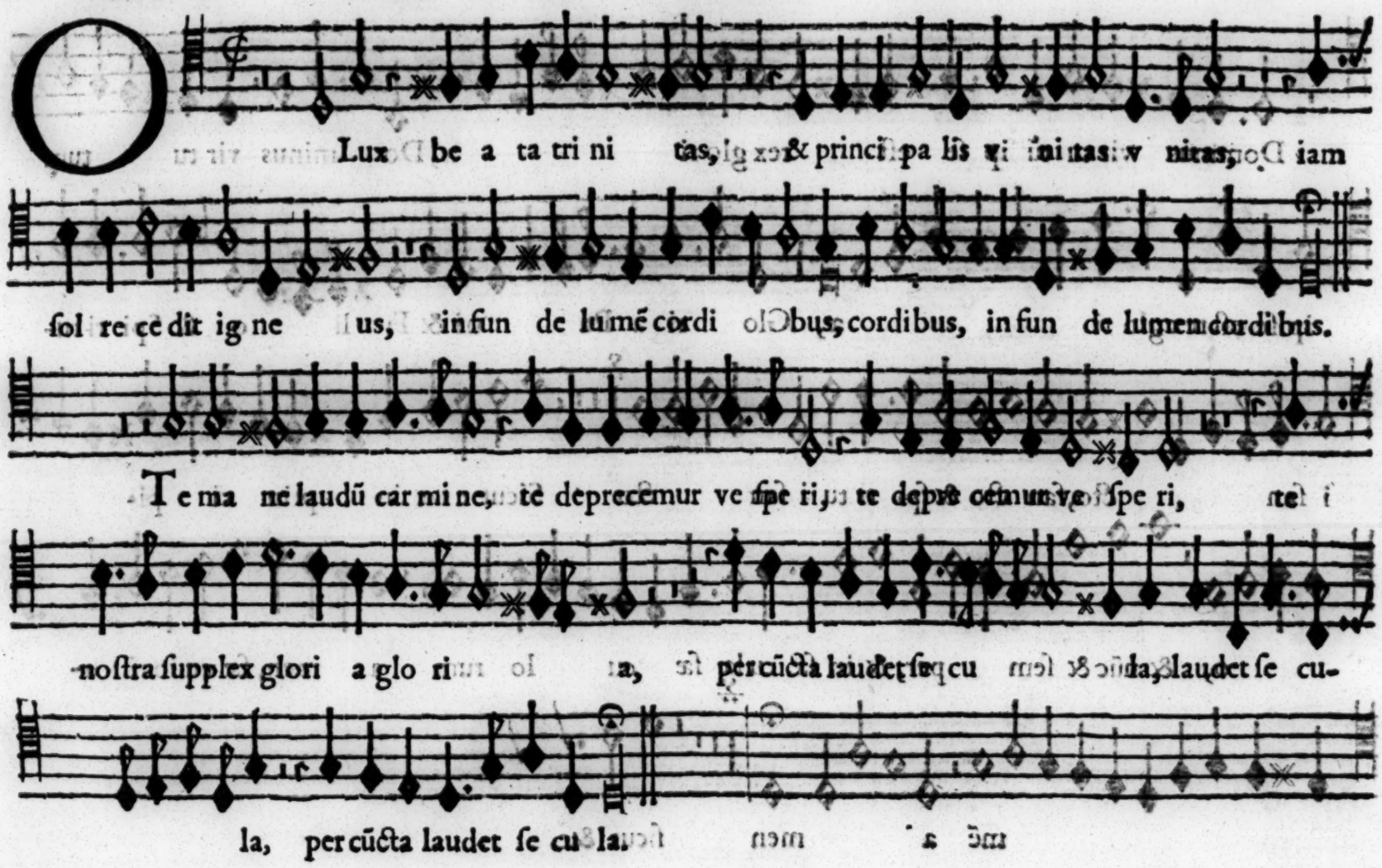
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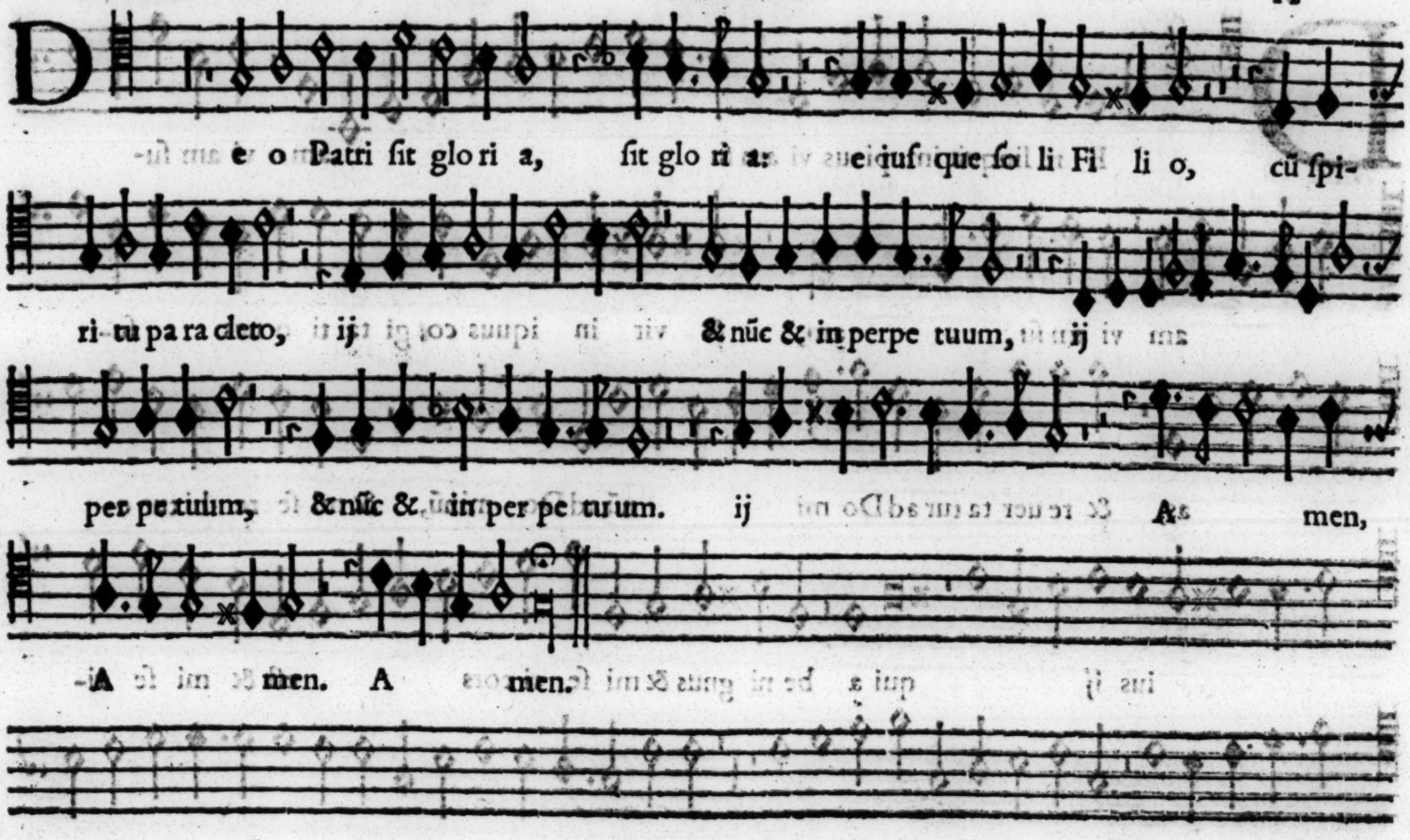
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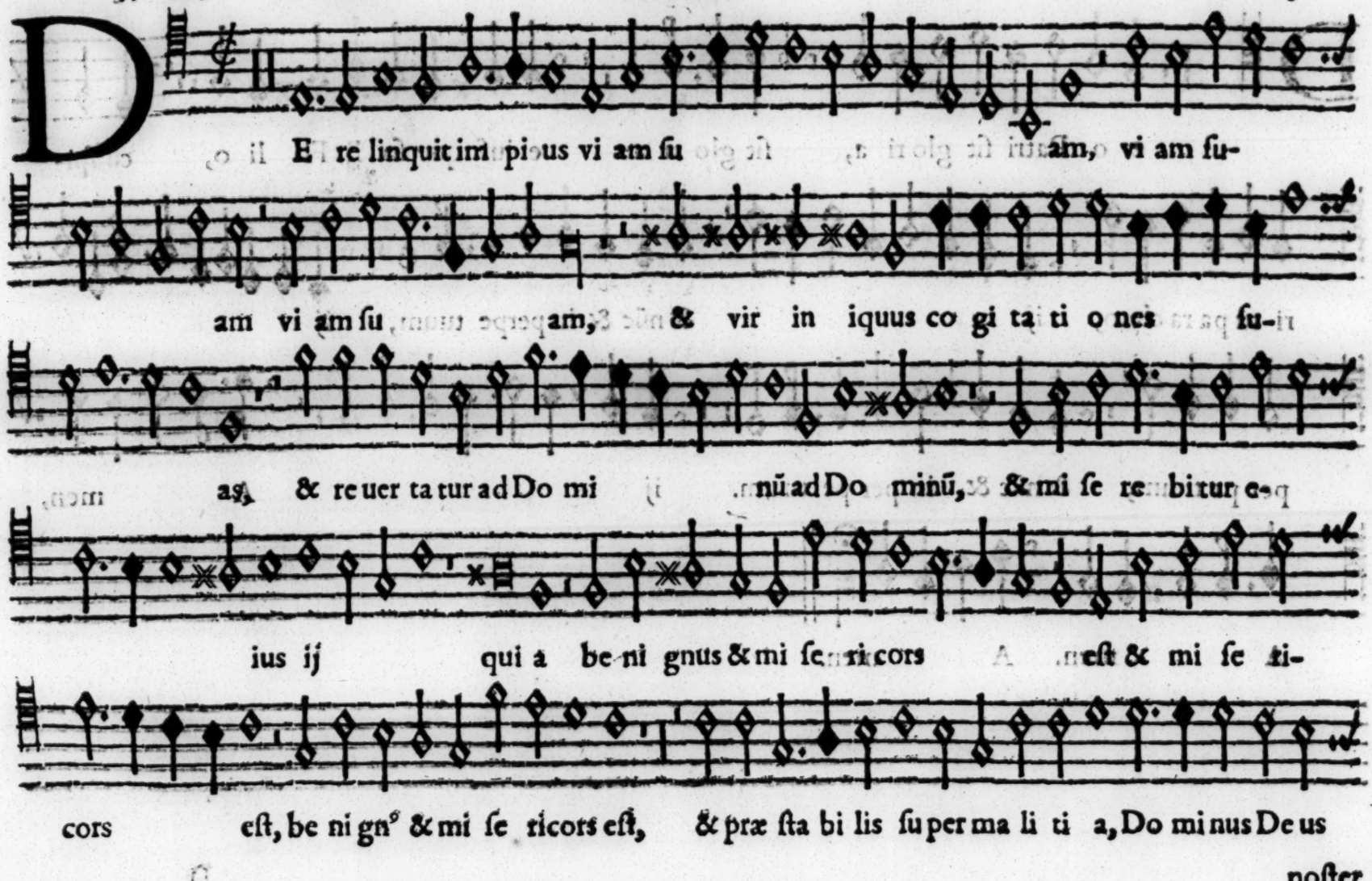
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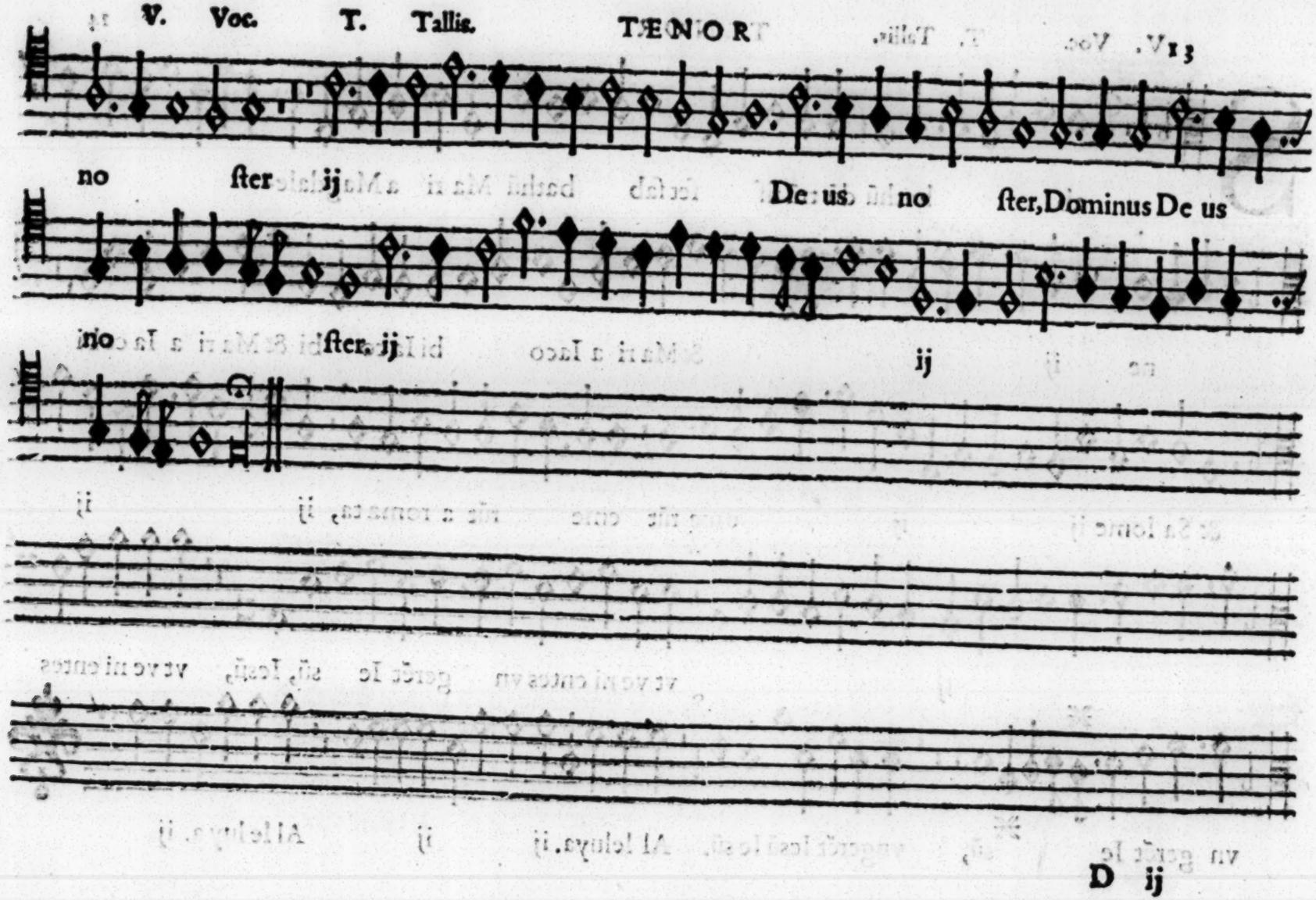
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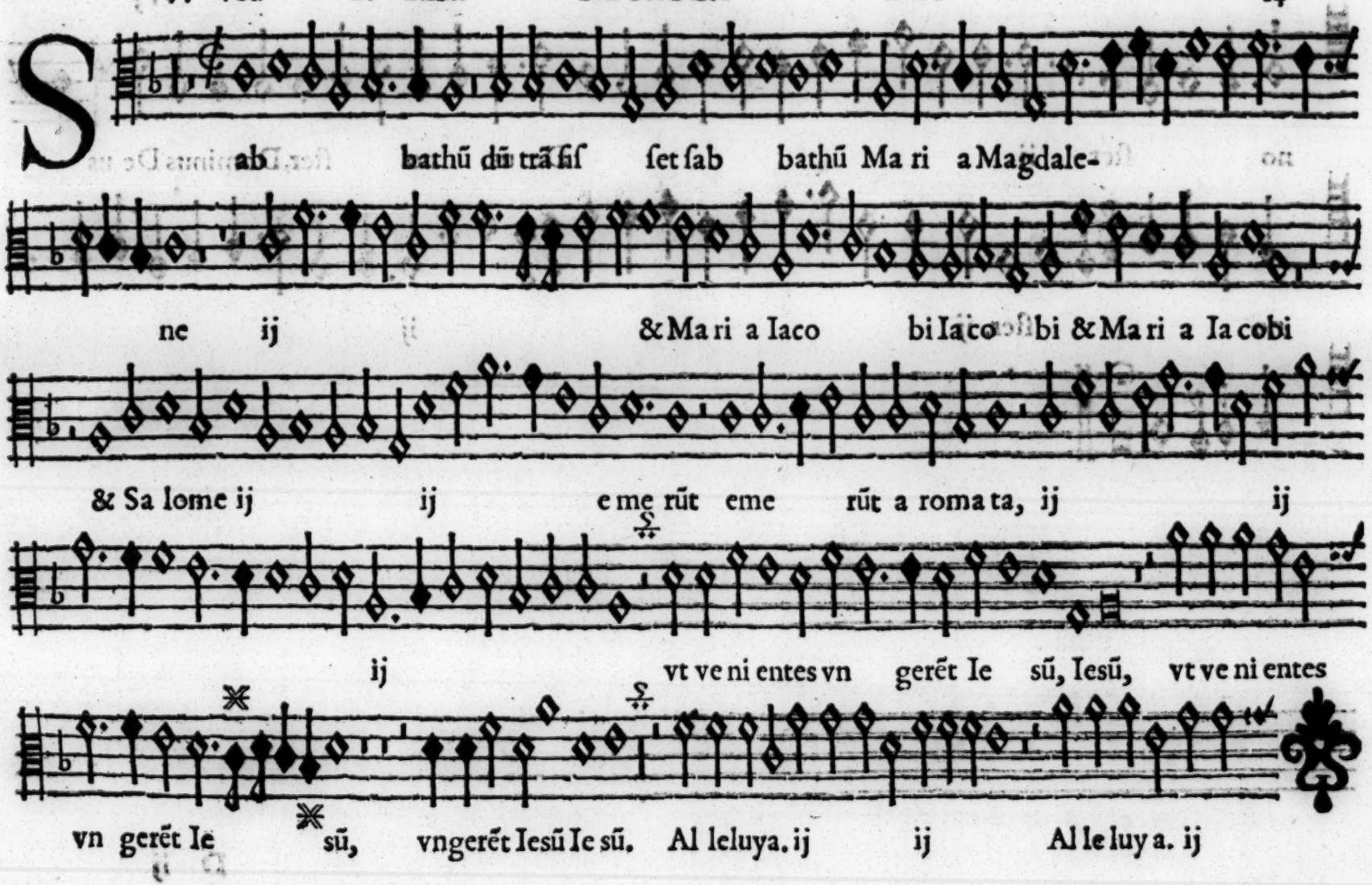
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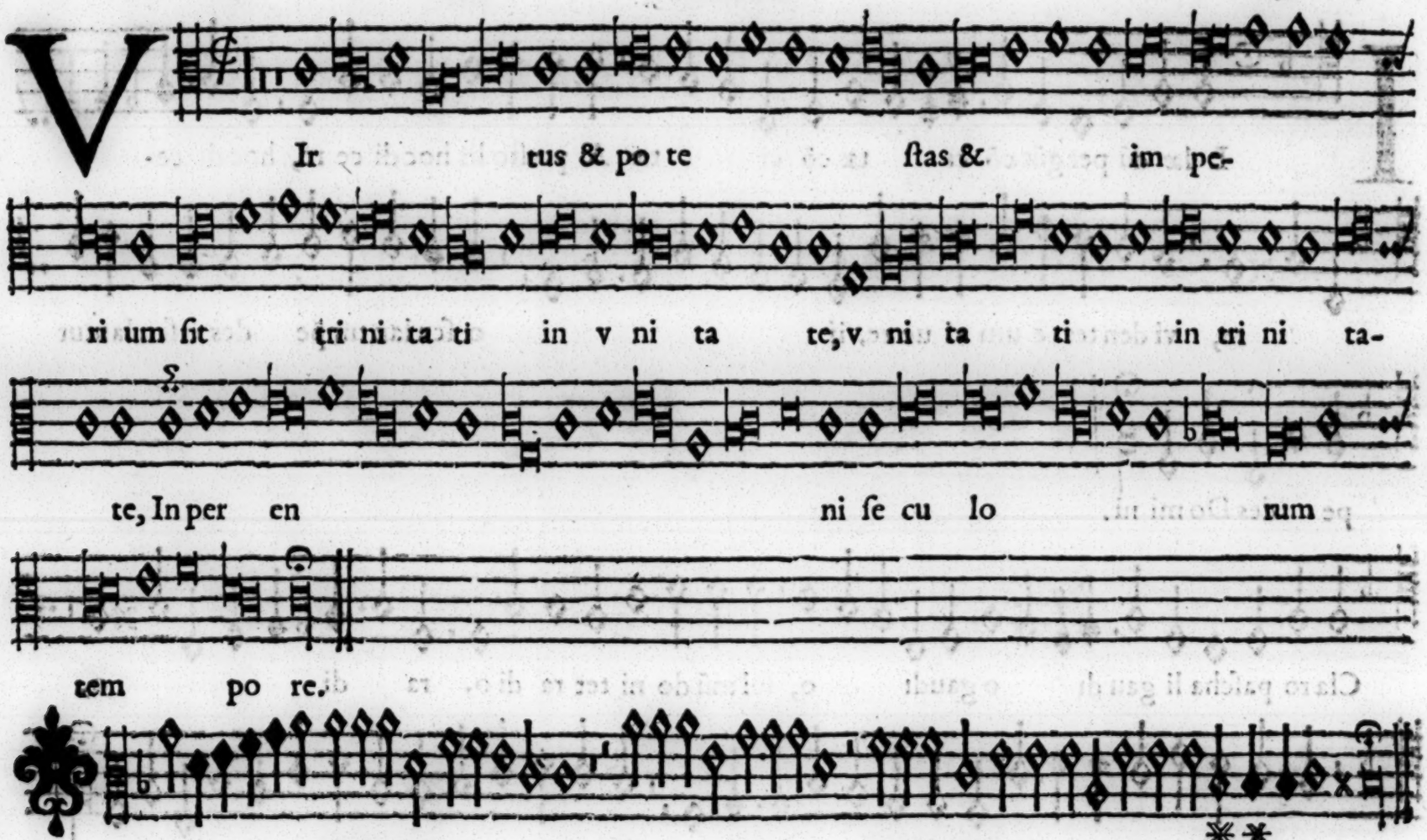

O Lux be a ta tri ni tas, & princi pa lis u ni tas: iam
sol re ce dit ig ne us, in fun de lumẽ cordi bus, cordibus, in fun de lumen cordibus.
Te ma ne laudũ car mi ne, te deprecemur ve spe ri, te deprecemur ve spe ri,
noſtra ſupplex glori a glo ri a, per cũcta laudet ſe cu da, laudet ſe cu-
la, per cũcta laudet ſe cu

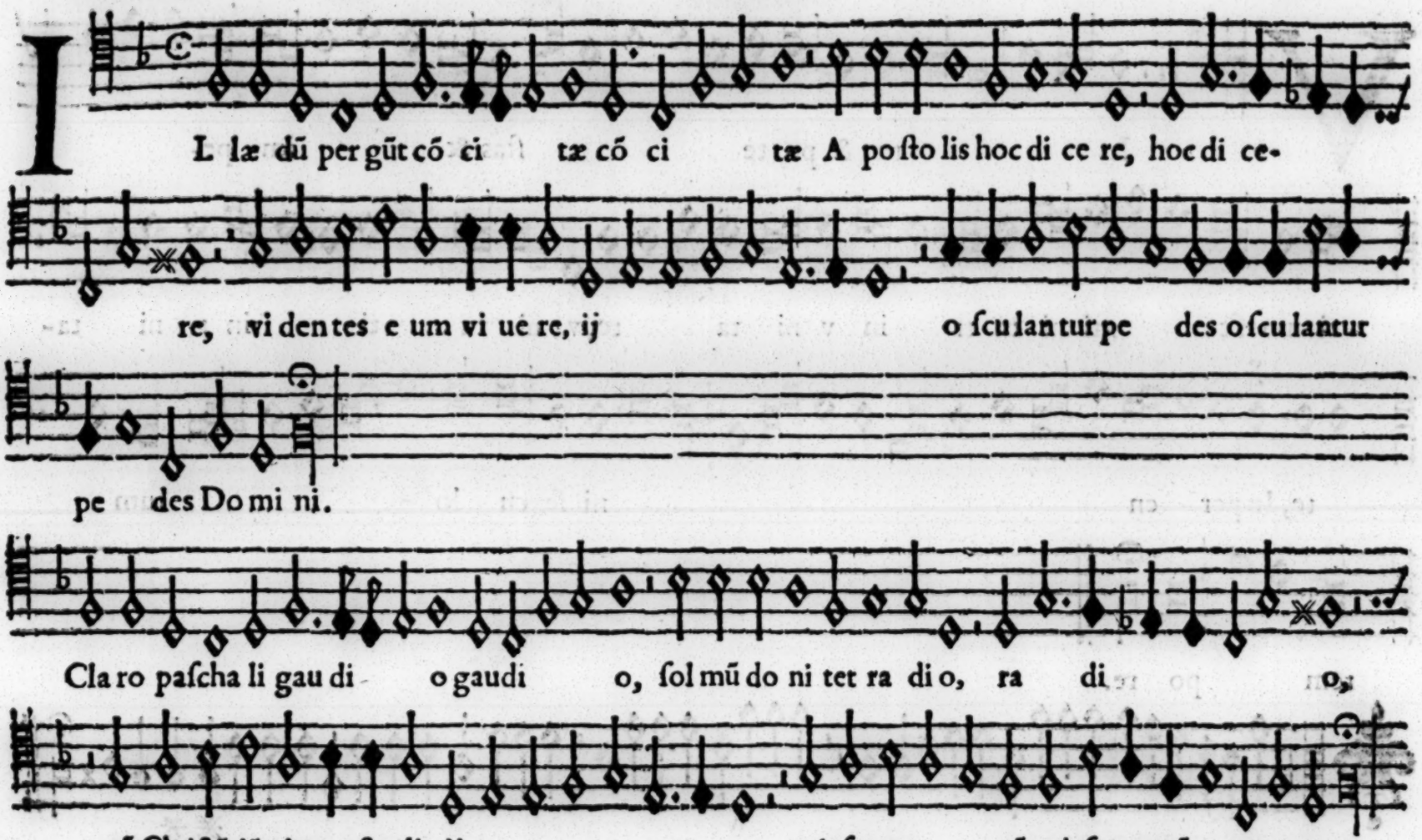

Do ri a, sit glo ri a, sit glo ri a: sueiquſ que ſoli Fi li o, cũ ſpi-
ri tu pa ra cleto, ij & nũc & in perpe tuum, ij
per pe tuũm, & nũc & in per pe tuũm. ij A men,
A men. A men.
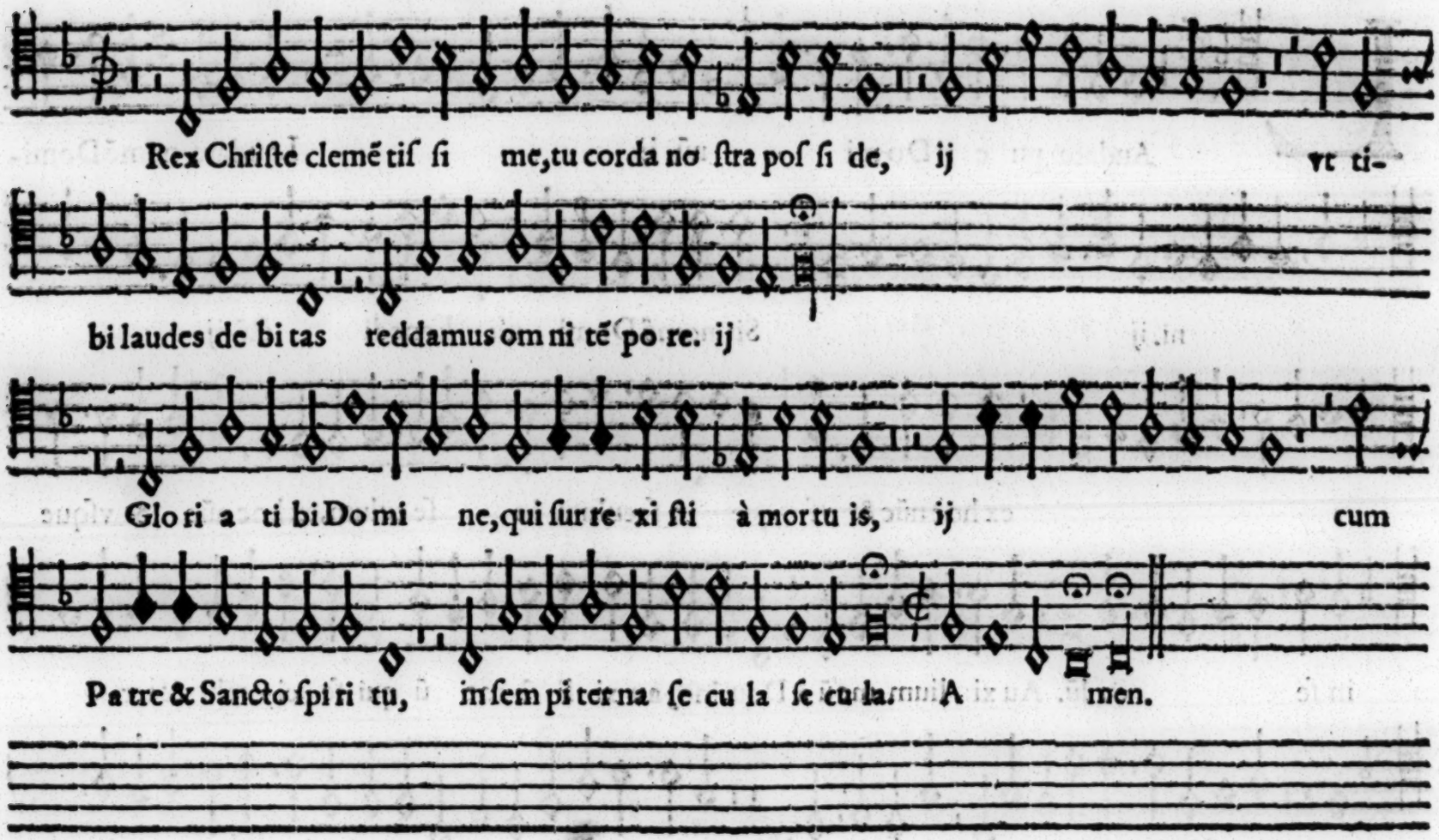

E re linquit im pi ous vi am ſu am, vi am ſu-
am vi am ſu am, & vir in iquus co gi ta ti o nes ſu-
& re uer ta tur ad Do mi nũ ad Do minũ, & mi ſe re bitur e-
ius ij qui a be ni gnus & mi ſe ricors eſt & mi ſe ri-
cors eſt, be ni gn° & mi ſe ricors eſt, & præ ſta bi lis ſu per ma li ti a, Do mi nus De us
noſter
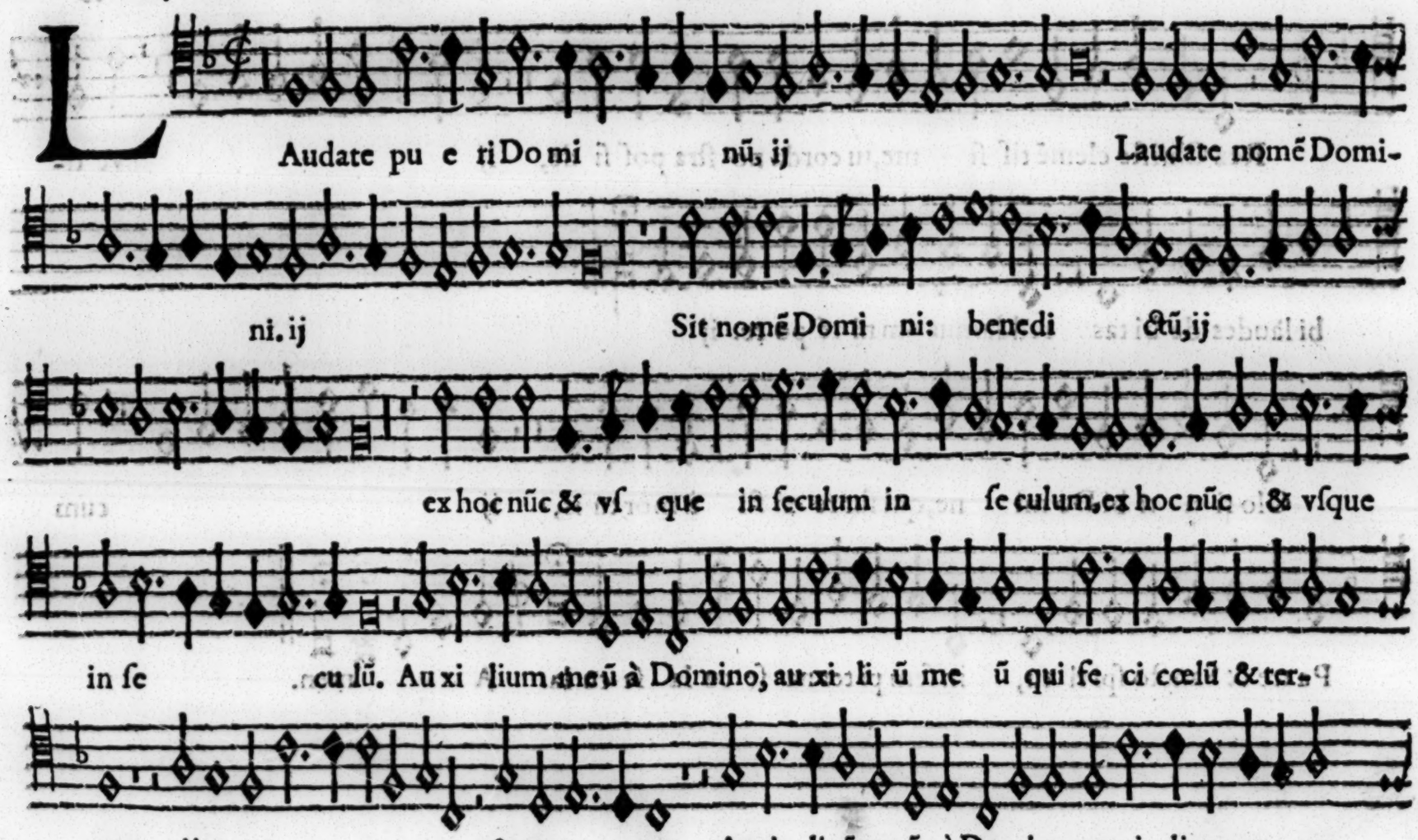

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no ster ij De: us no ster, Dominus De us
ij
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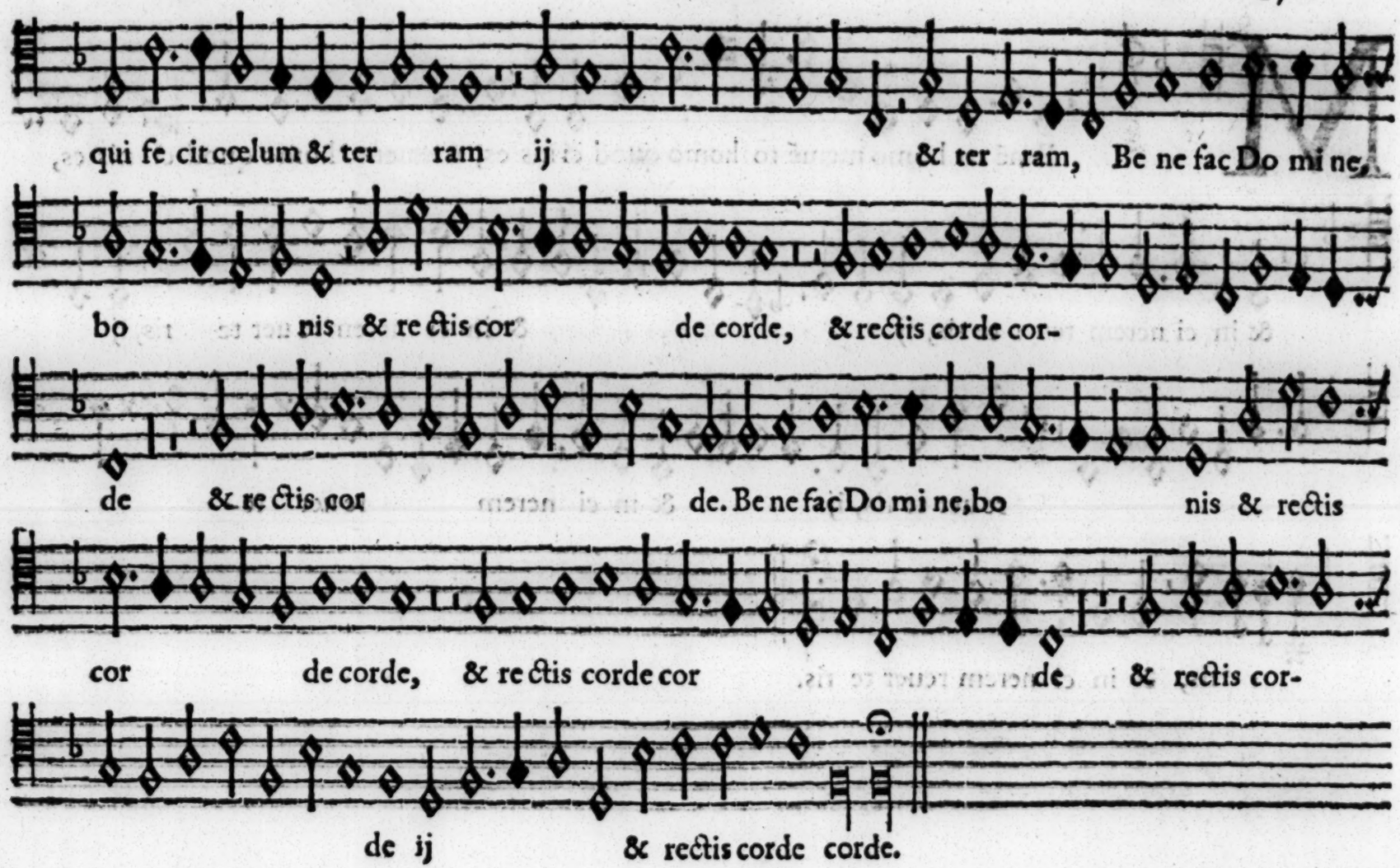

Sab bathũ dũ trã fiſ ſet ſab bathũ Ma ri a Magdale-
ne ij &Ma ri a Iaco bi Iaco bi &Ma ri a Ia cobi
& Sa lome ij ij e me rũt eme rũt a roma ta, ij ij
ij vt ve ni entes vn gerẽt Ie sũ, Iesũ, vt ve ni entes
vn gerẽt Ie sũ, vngerẽt Iesũ Ie sũ. Al leluya. ij ij Al le luy a. ij
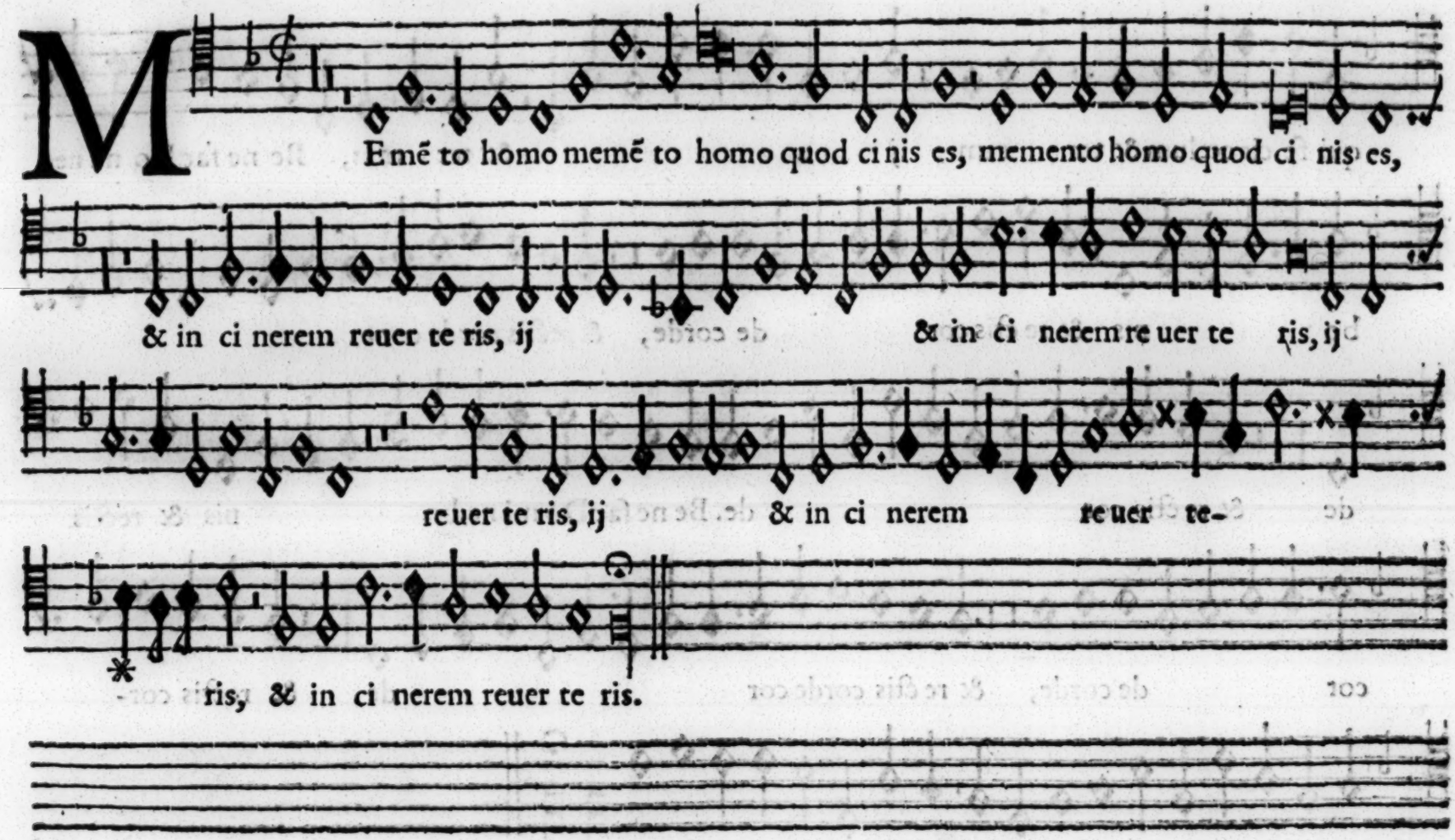

Ir tus & po te ſtas & im pe-
ri um ſit tri ni ta ti in v ni ta te, v ni ta ti in tri ni ta-
te, In per en ni ſe cu lo rum
tem po re.
Alleluya: ij ij ij Alleluya. ij ij ij
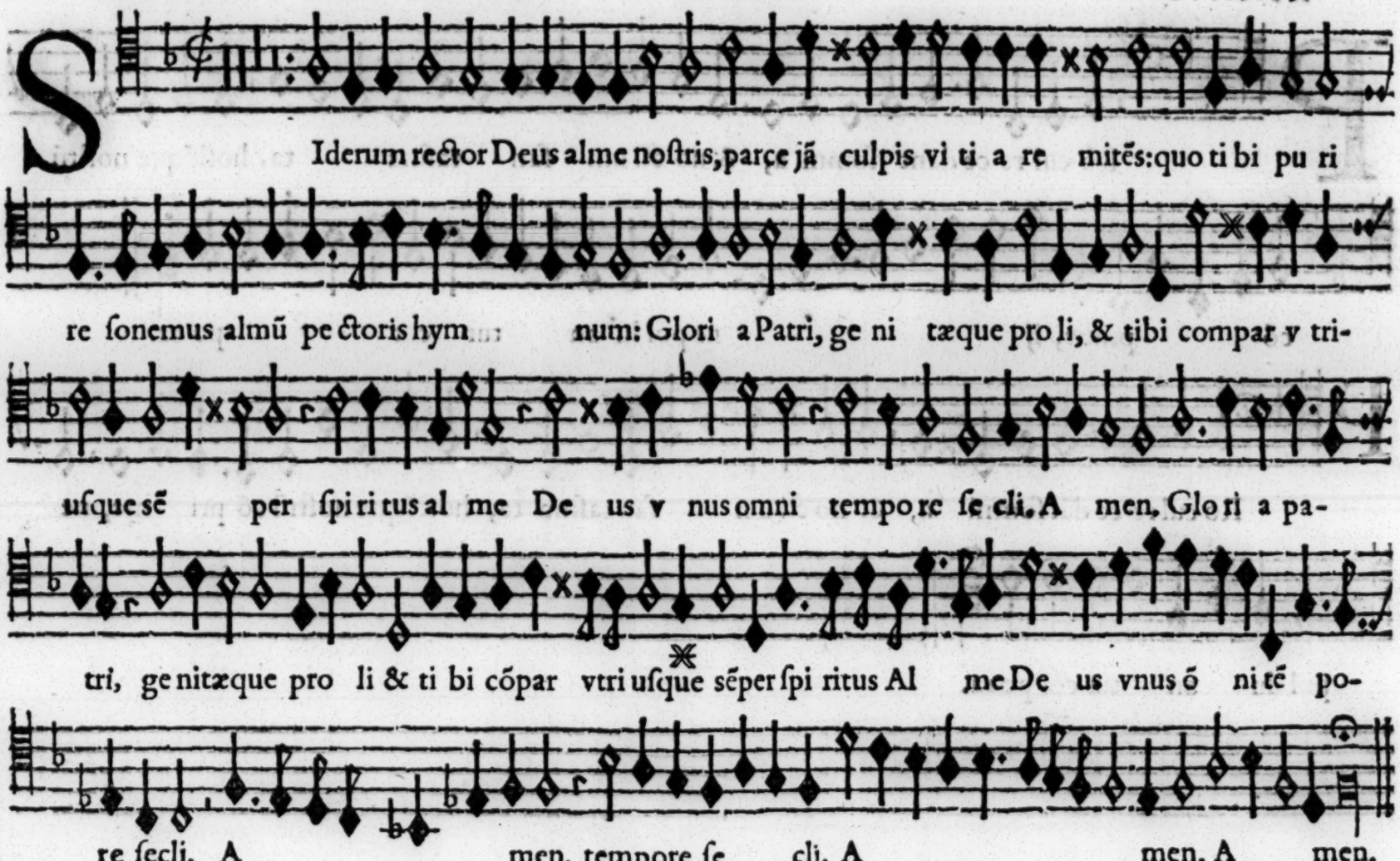

I L læ dũ per gũt cõ ci tæ cõ ci tæ A poſto lis hoc di ce re, hoc di ce-
re, vi den tes e um vi ue re, ij o ſcu lan tur pe des o ſcu lantur
pe des Do mi ni.
Cla ro paſcha li gau di o gaudi o, ſol mũ do ni tet ra di o, ra di o,
cũ Chriſtũ iã A po ſto li ij vi ſu cer nũt vi ſu cer nũt cor po re o.
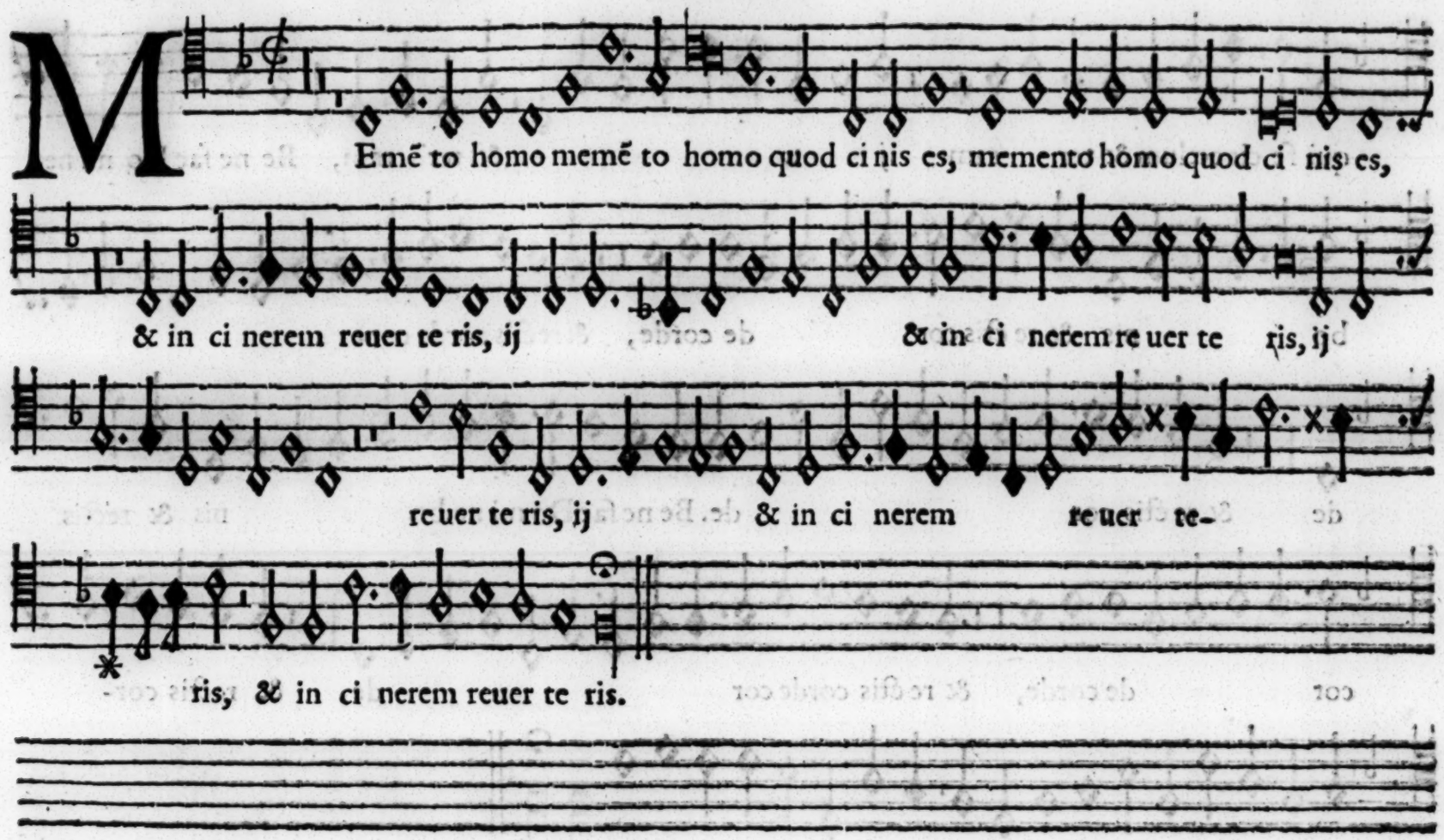

Rex Chriſte clemẽ tiſ ſi me, tu corda nõ ſtra poſ ſi de, ij vt ti-
bi laudes de bi tas reddamus om ni tẽ po re. ij
Glo ri a ti bi Do mi ne, qui ſur re xi ſti à mor tu is, ij cum
Pa tre & Sancto ſpi ri tu, in ſem pi ter na ſe cu la ſe cu la. Amen.

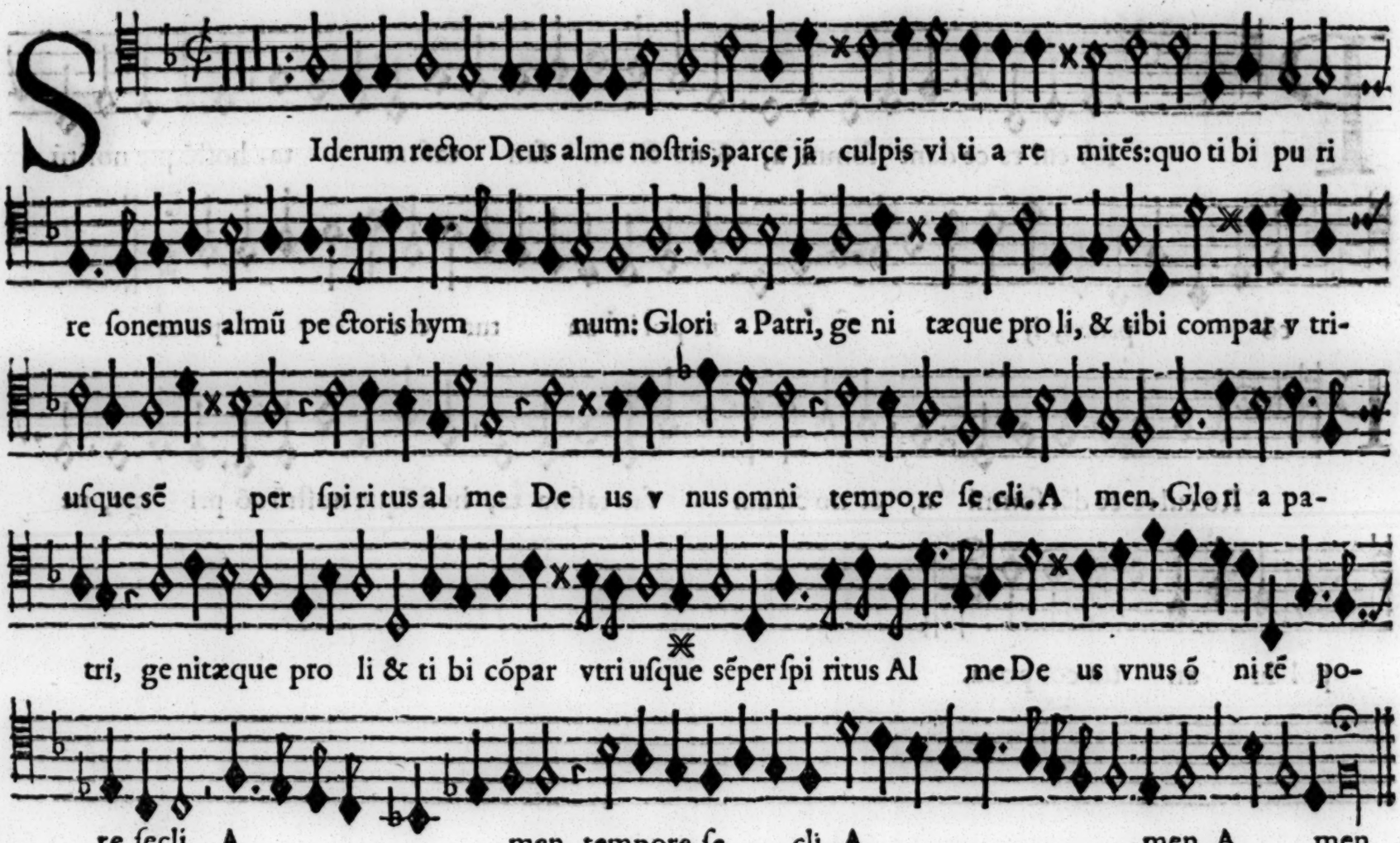

Laudate pueri Dominũ, ij Laudate nomẽ Domini. ij
Sit nomẽ Domini: benedictũ, ij
ex hoc nũc & vsque in seculum in seculum, ex hoc nũc & vsque
in seculũ. Auxilium meũ à Domino, auxilium meũ qui fecit cœlũ & terram ij
& terram, Auxilium meũ à Domino, auxilium meum
qui

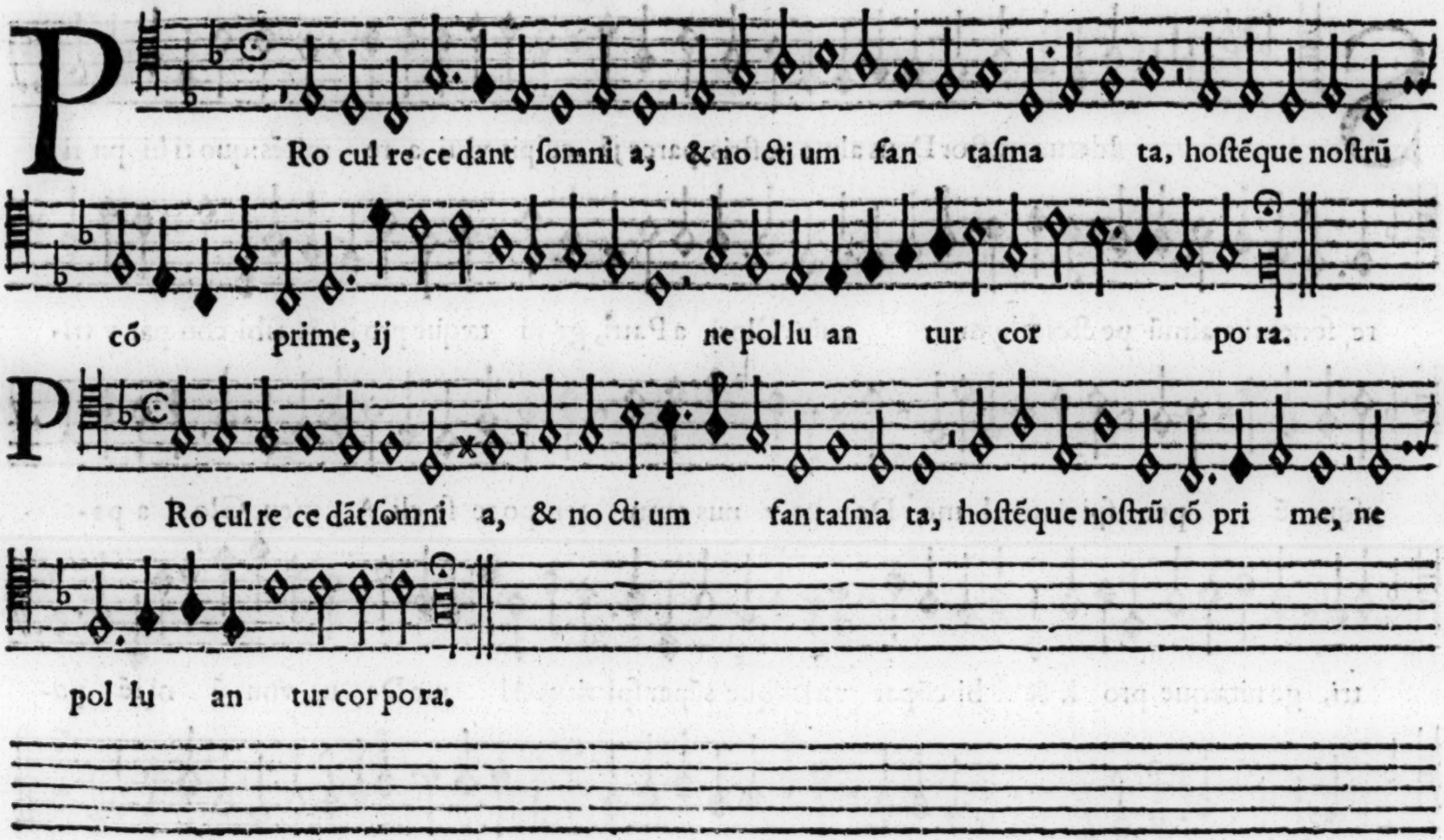

qui fe cit cœlum & ter ram ij & ter ram, Be ne fac Do mi ne,
bo nis & re ctis cor de corde, & rectis corde cor-
de & re ctis cor de. Be ne fac Do mi ne, bo nis & rectis
cor de corde, & re ctis corde cor de & rectis cor-
de ij & rectis corde corde.
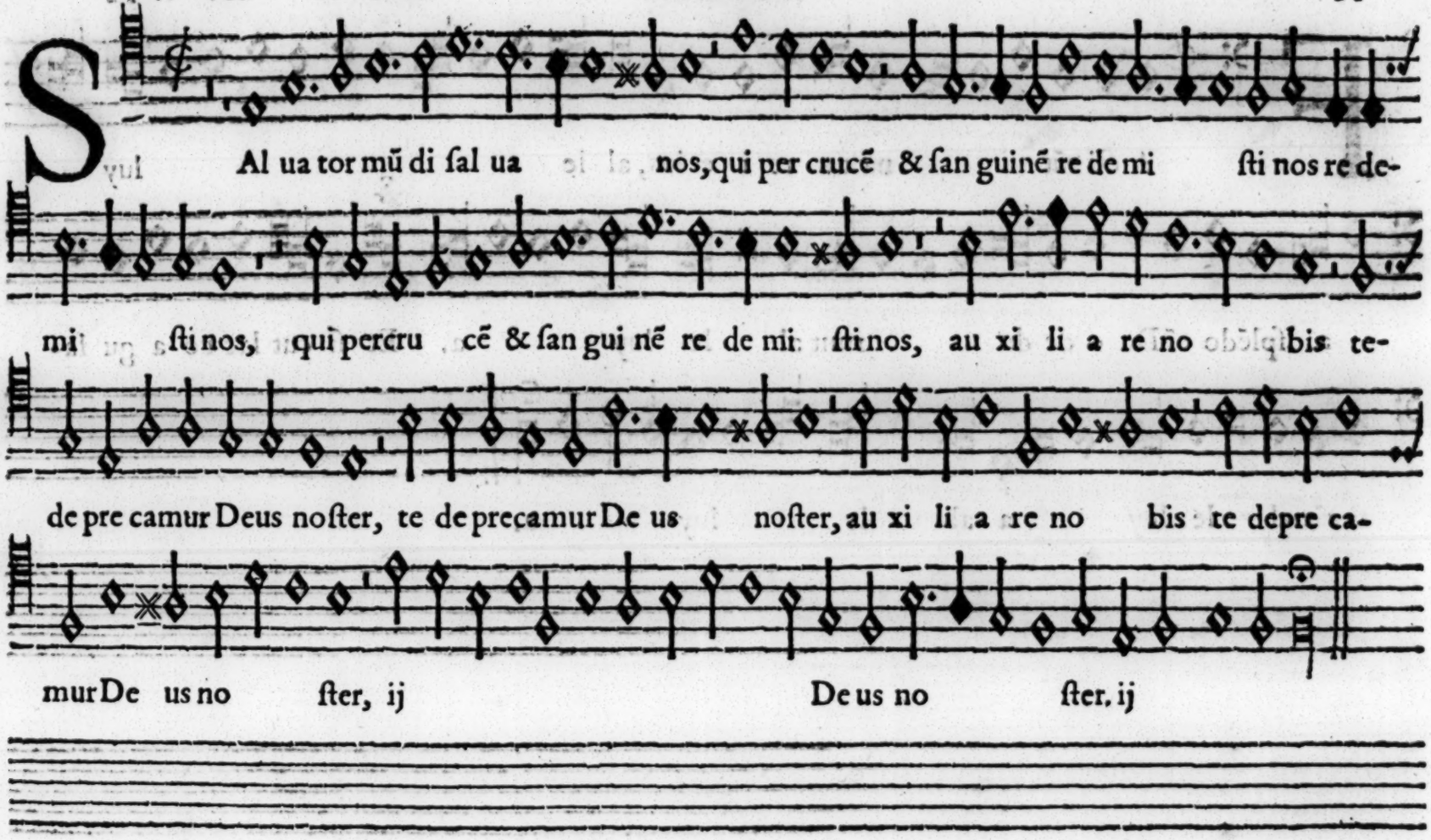

Emẽ to homo memẽ to homo quod ci nis es, memento homo quod ci nis es,
& in ci nerem reuer te ris, ij
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ris, & in ci nerem reuer te ris.
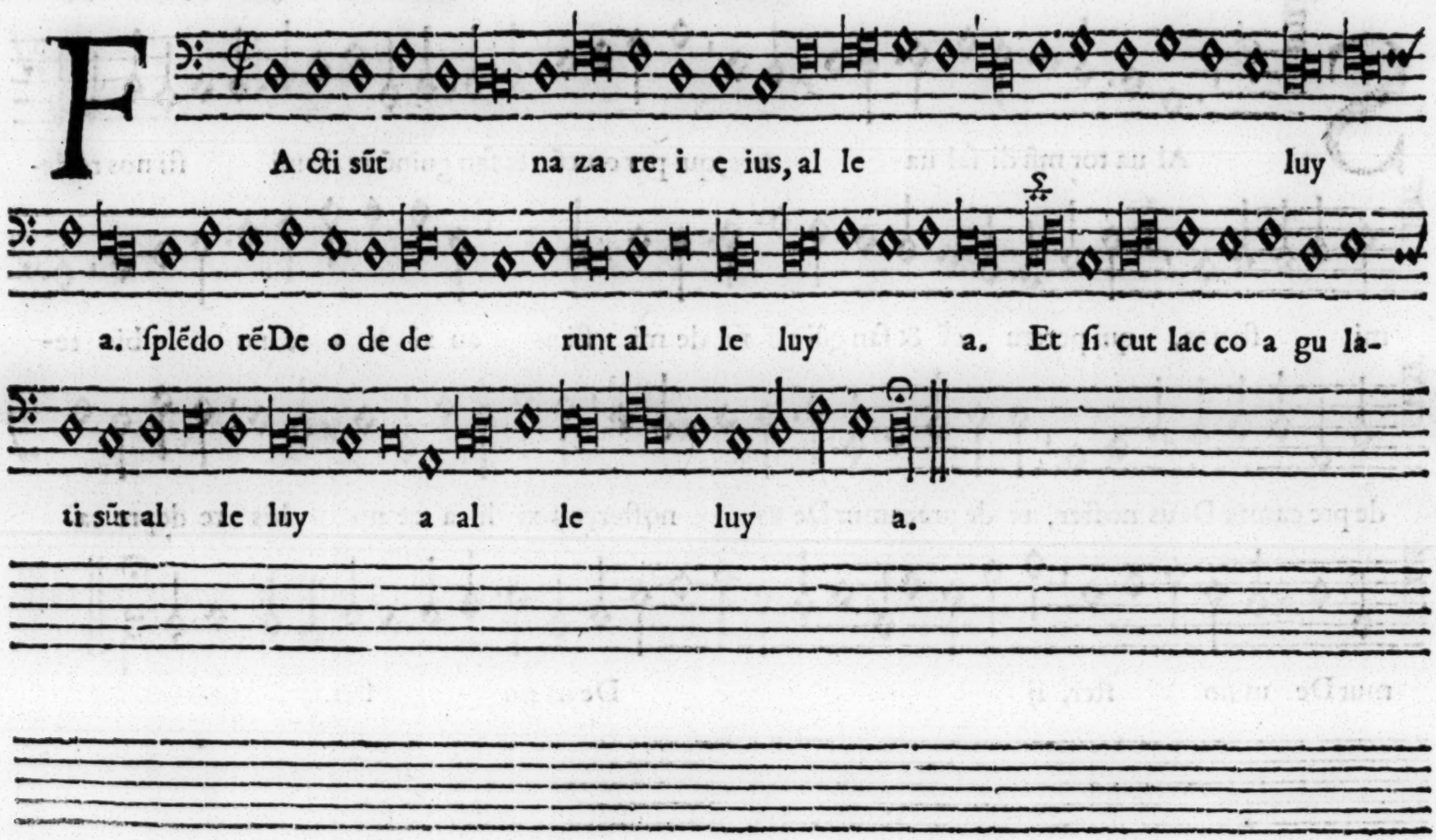

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uſque sẽ per ſpi ri tus al me De us v nus omni tempo re ſe cli. A men. Glo ri a pa-
tri, ge nitæque pro li & ti bi cõpar vtri uſque sẽper ſpi ritus Al me De us vnus õ ni tẽ po-
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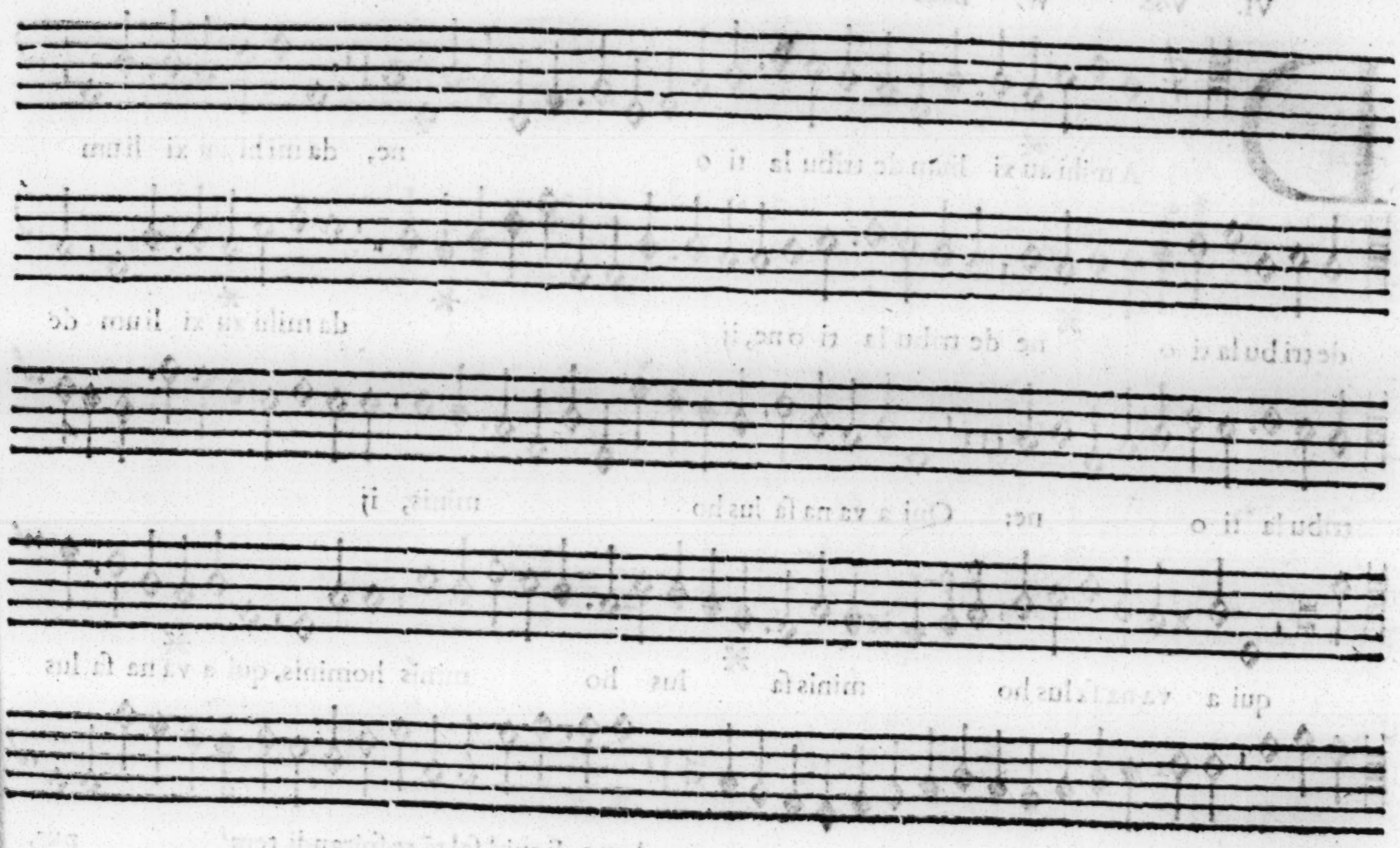

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& in ci nerem reuer te ris, ij
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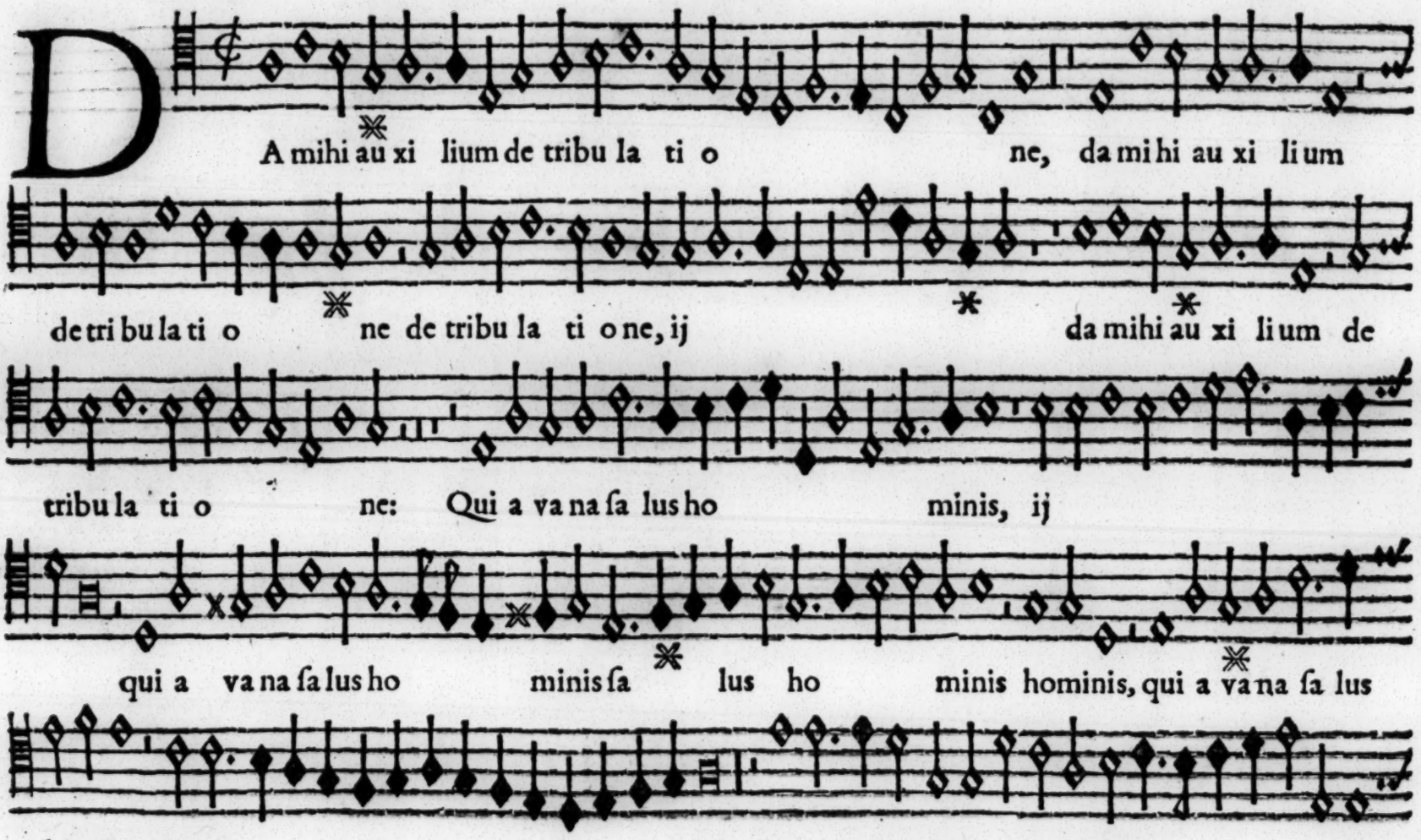

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re ſecli. A men. tempore ſe cli. A men. A men.


Ro cul re ce dant ſomni a, & no cti um fan taſma ta, hoſtẽque noſtrũ
cõ prime, ij ne pol lu an tur cor po ra.
Ro cul re ce dãt ſomni a, & no cti um fan taſma ta, hoſtẽque noſtrũ cõ pri me, ne
pol lu an tur cor po ra.

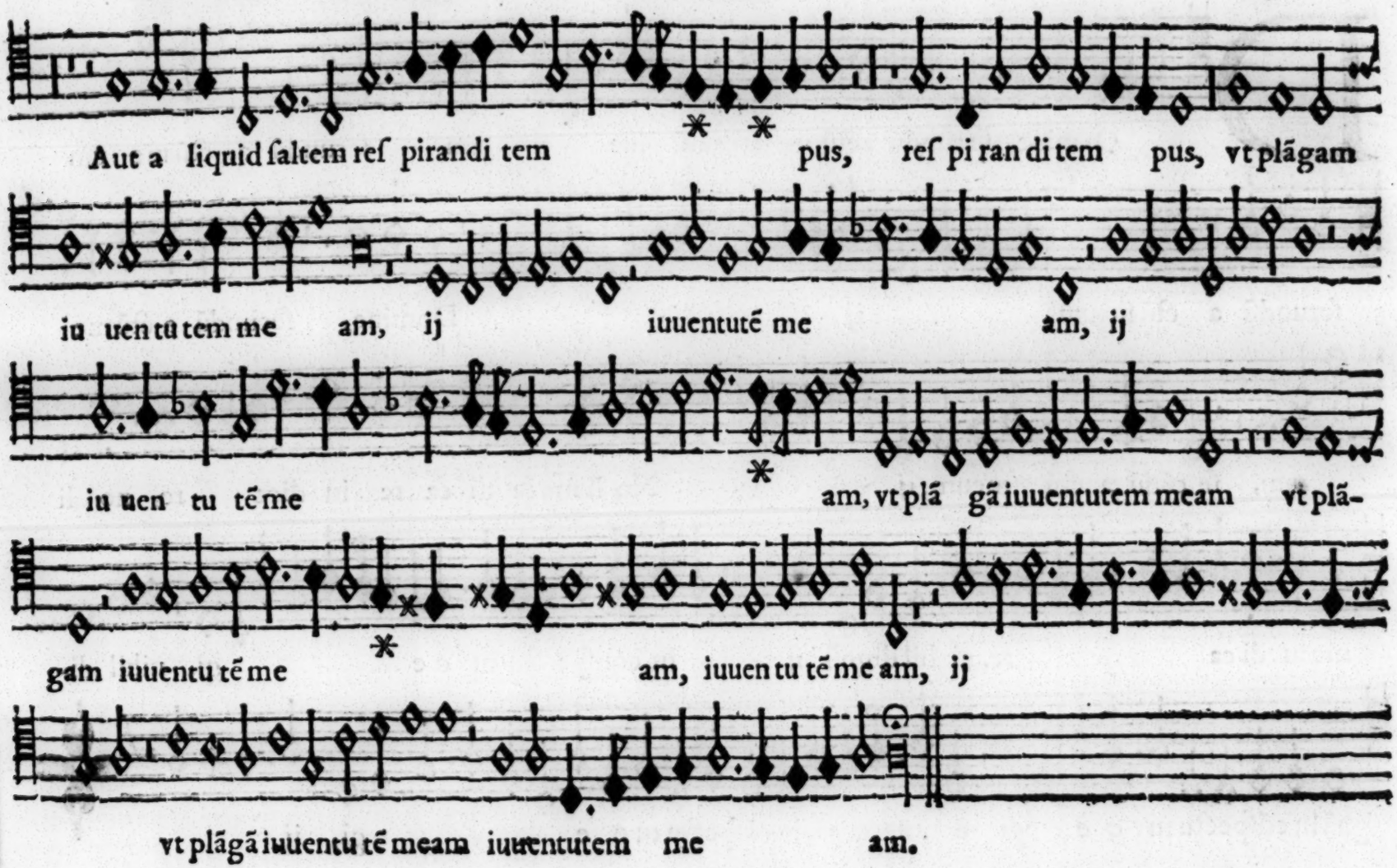

Saluator mũdi ſalua nos, qui per crucẽ & ſanguinẽ redemiſti nos redemi ſti nos, qui per crucẽ & ſanguinẽ redemiſti nos, auxilia reno bis te-
deprecamur Deus noſter, te deprecamur Deus noſter, auxilia reno bis te deprecamur De us no ſter, ij De us no ſter. ij


A cti sũt na za re i e ius, al le luy
a. ſplẽdo rẽ De o de de runt al le luy a. Et ſi cut lac co a gu la-
ti sũt al le luy a al le luy a.




A mihi au xi lium de tribu la ti o ne, da mi hi au xi li um
de tri bu la ti o ne de tribu la ti o ne, ij da mihi au xi li um de
tribu la ti o ne: Qui a va na ſa lus ho minis, ij
qui a va na ſa lus ho minis ſa lus ho minis hominis, qui a va na ſa lus
hominis ho mi nis. Aut a liquid ſal tẽ re ſpirandi tem pus,

Aut


Aut a liquid ſaltem reſ pirandi tem pus, reſ pi ran di tem pus, vt plãgam
iu uen tũ tem me am, ij iuuentutẽ me am, ij
iu uen tu tẽ me am, vt plã gã iuuentutem meam vt plã-
gam iuuentu tẽ me am, iuuen tu tẽ me am, ij
vt plãgã iuuentu tẽ meam iuuentutem me am.

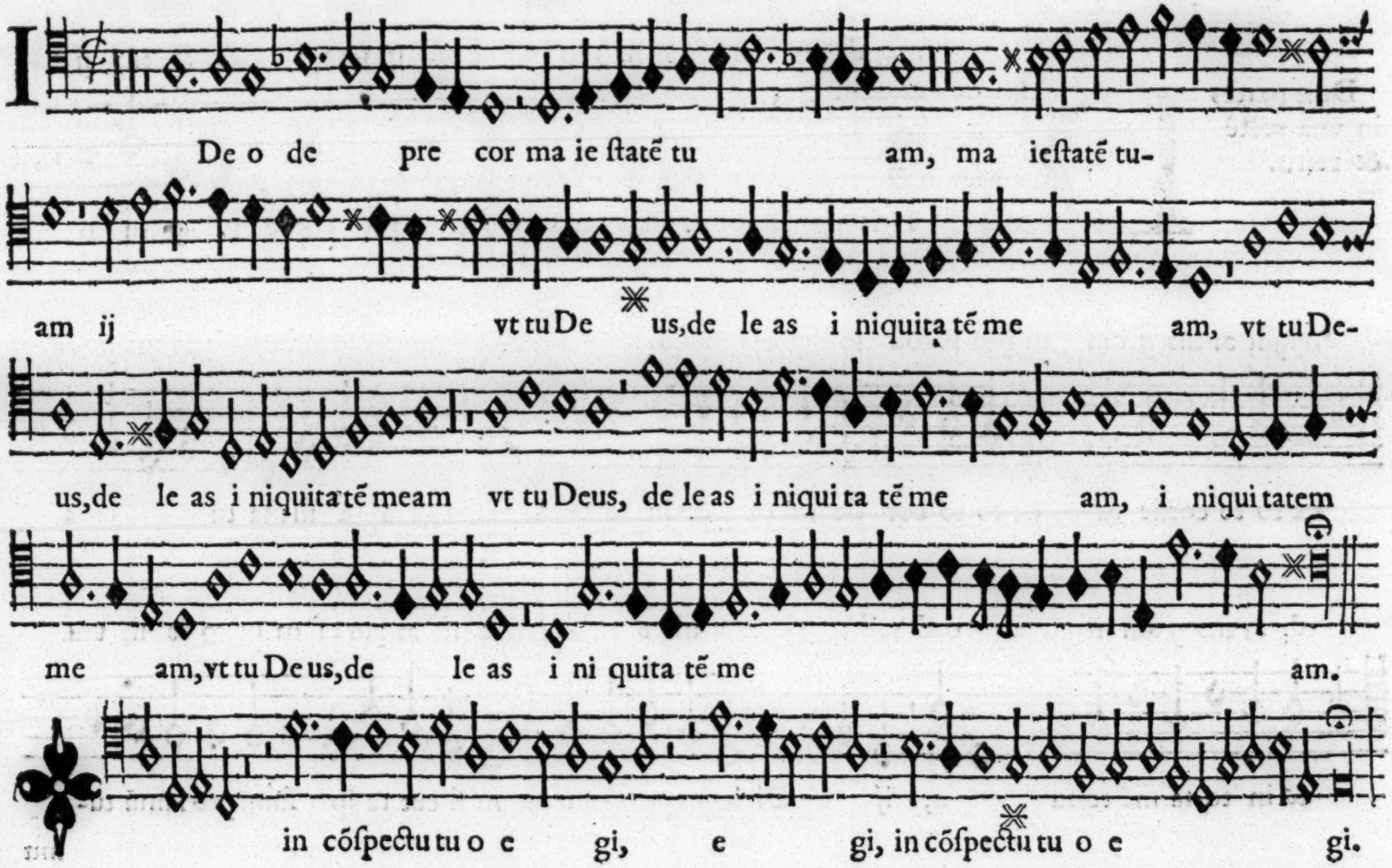
DO mine, ſecundũ actũ meum, actũ me um ſecundũ a ctũ me um

ſecundũ a ctũ meum, ij Domine, ſecundũ a ctũ me
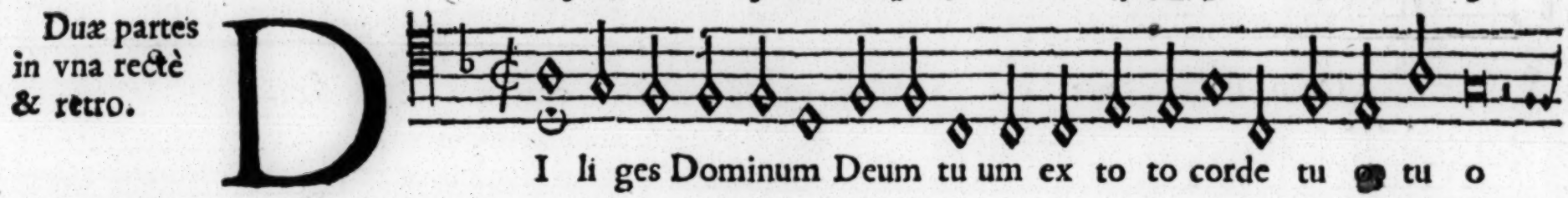
um, ſe cũdũ a ctũ meum, ij No li me iu di ca re iu dica re, no li

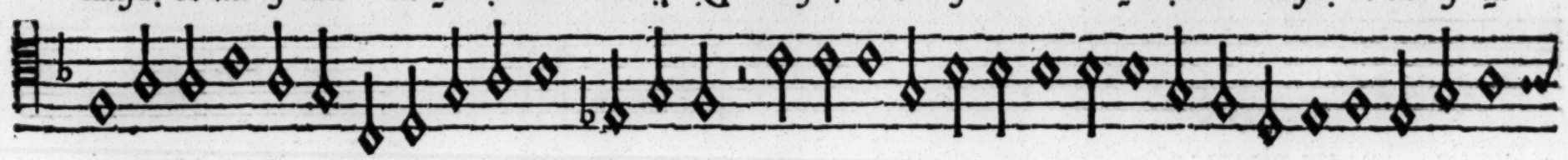
me iu di ca re, ni hil dignũ ij in conſpe ctu tu o e gi, nihil di-

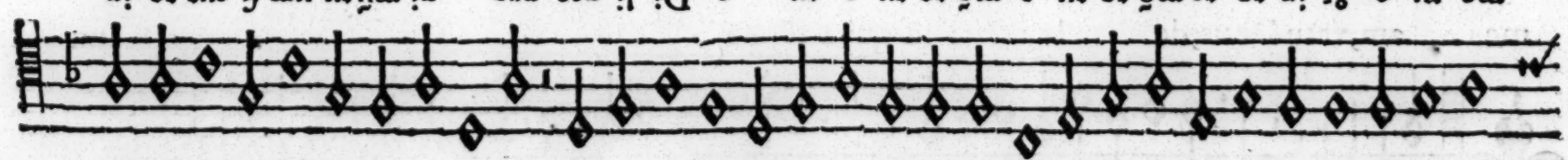
gnũ in cõſpectu tu o e gi e gi, in cõſpectu tu o e gi, ij
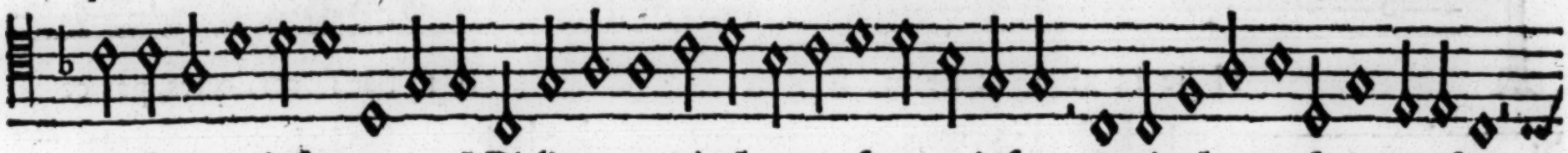

De o de pre cor ma ie ſtatẽ tu am, ma ieſtatẽ tu-
am ij vt tu De us,de le as i niquita tẽ me am, vt tu De-
us,de le as i niquitatẽ meam vt tu Deus, de le as i niqui ta tẽ me am, i niqui tatem
me am,vt tu De us,de le as i ni quita tẽ me am.
in cõſpectu tu o e gi, e gi, in cõſpectu tu o e gi.
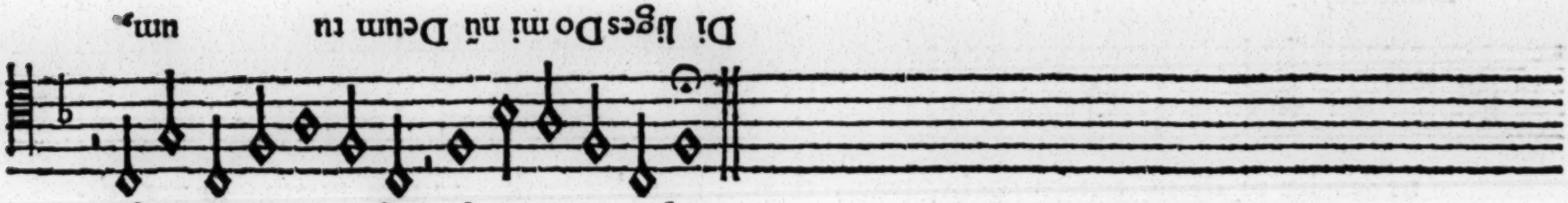
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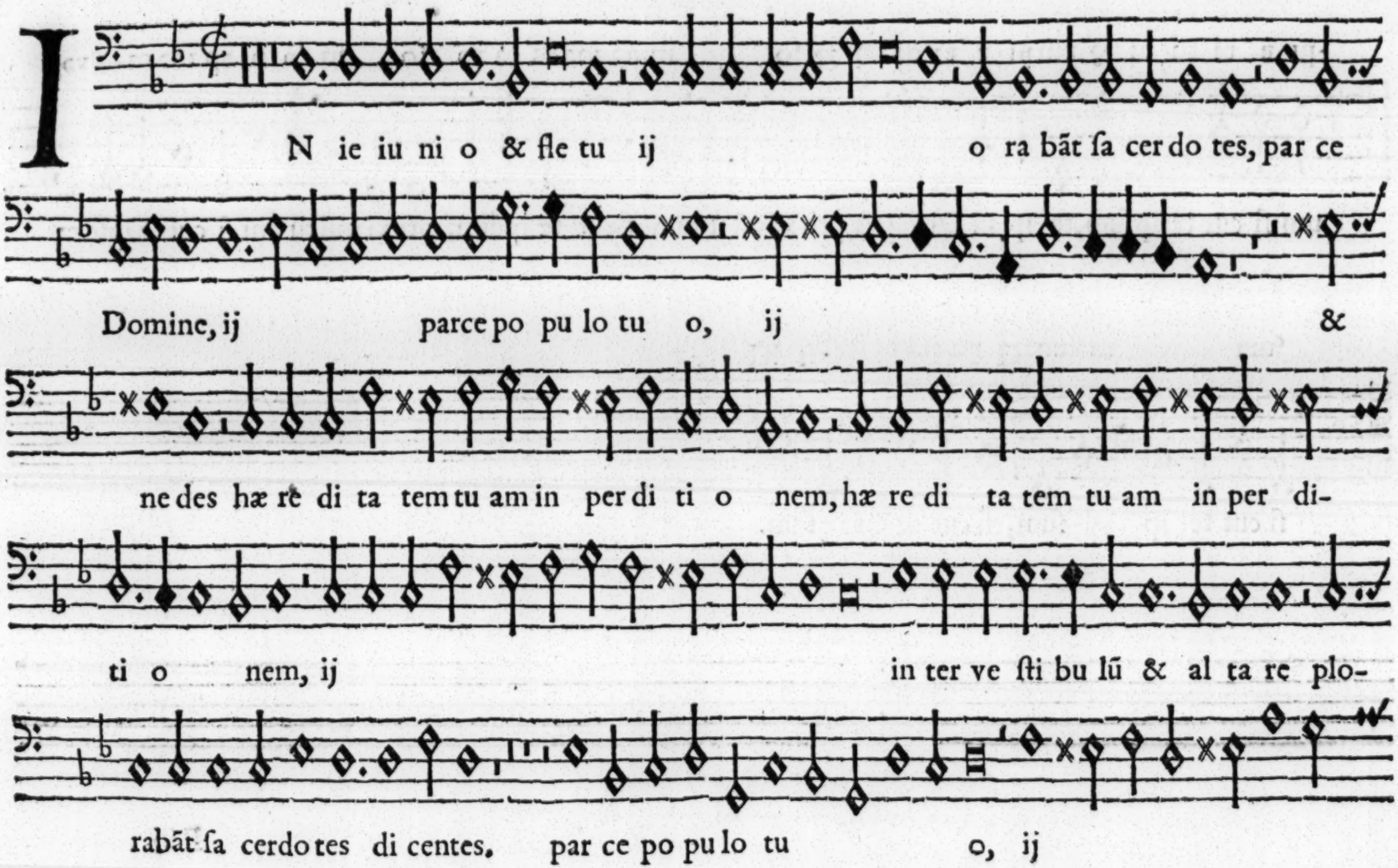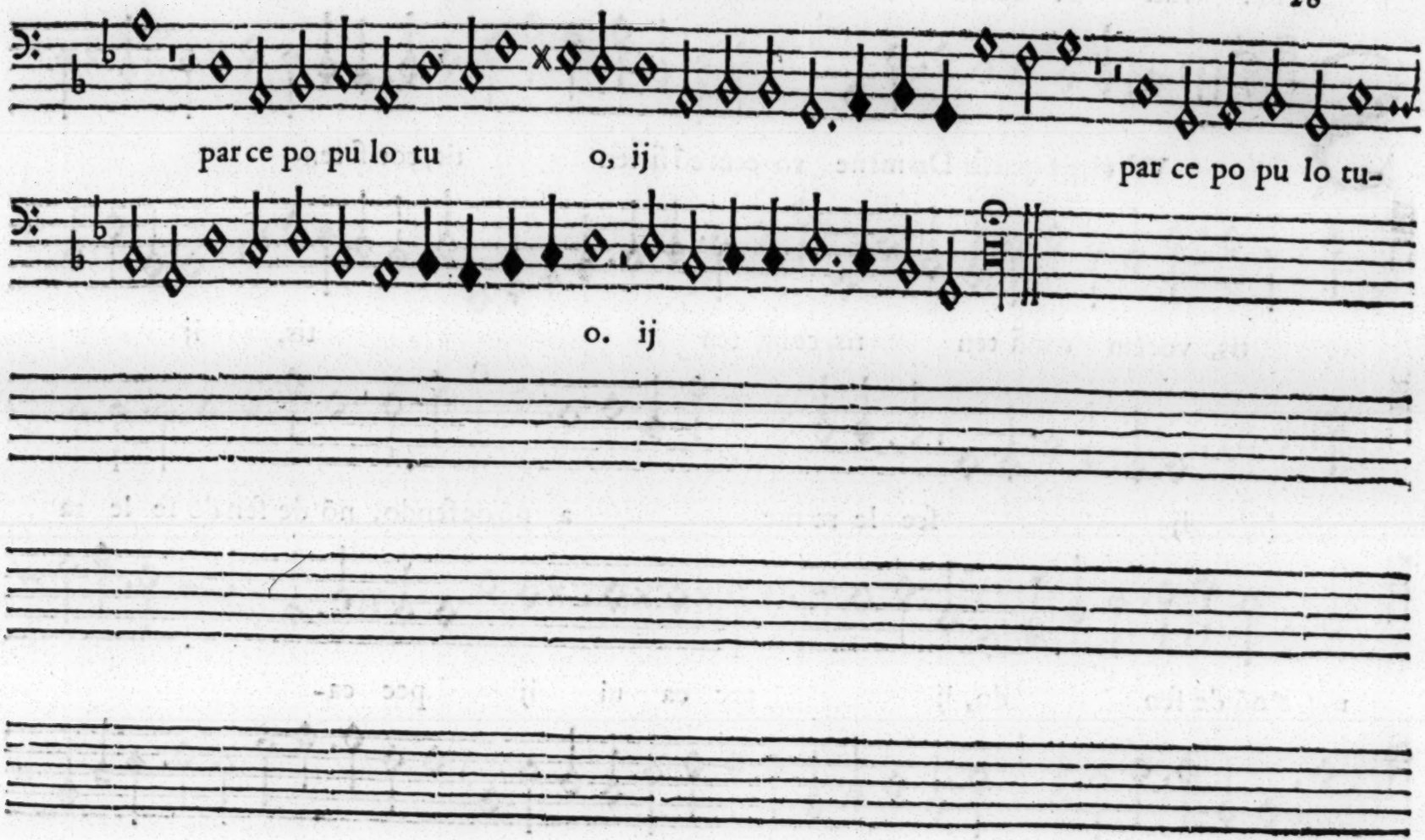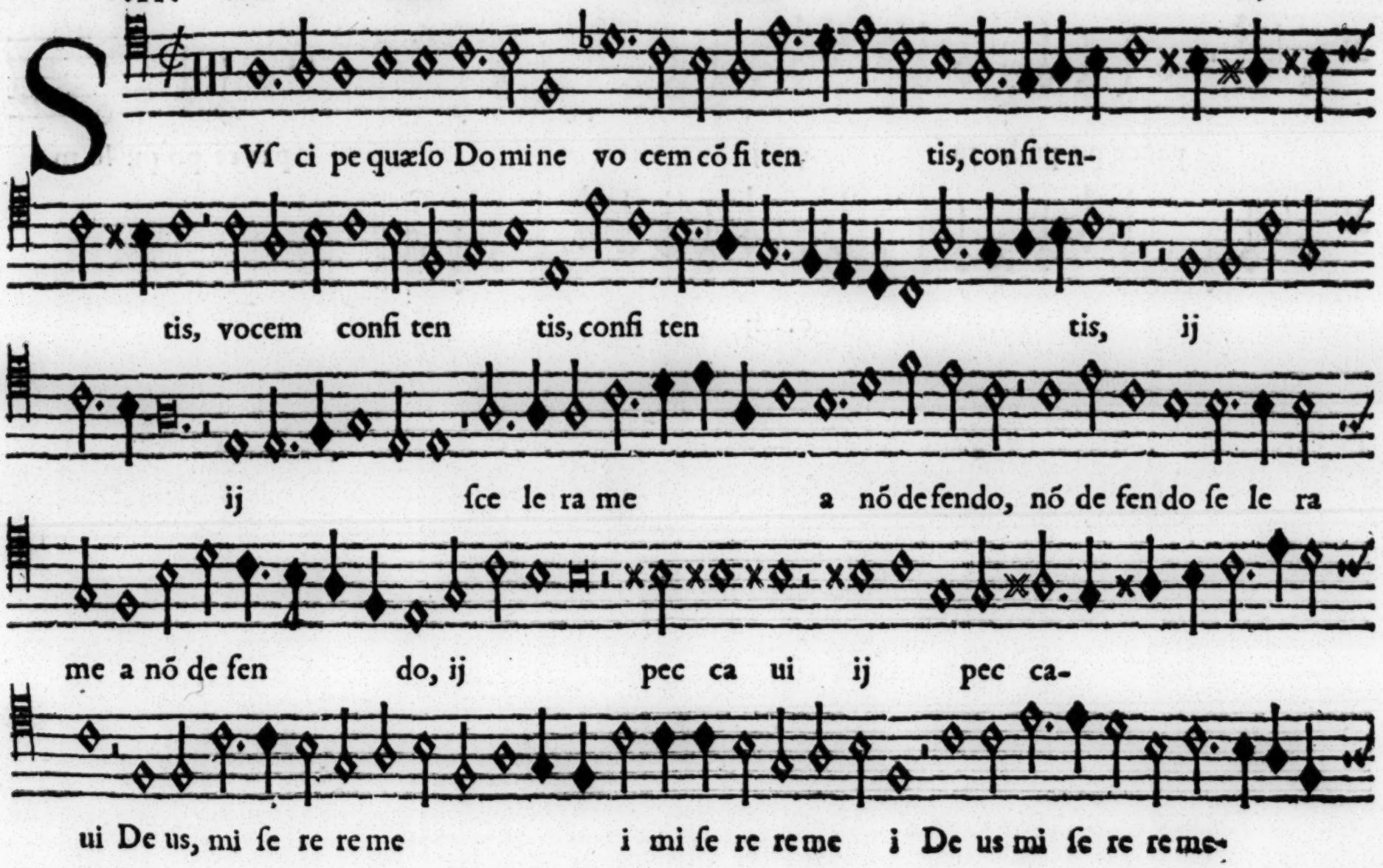



ex to to cor de tu o, tu o, ex to to cor de tu o, & in to ta a ni-
um si cut te ipſum, te ip sũ Di li ges pro ximũ tuum ſicut te ipſum, proxi mũ tu um si cut te ipſum


um, Di ligesDo mi nũ Deum tu
si cut te ip ſum, si cut te ip ſum.


IN ie iu ni o & fle tu ij o ra bāt ſa cer do tes, par ce
Domine, ij parce po pu lo tu o, ij &
ne des hæ rē di ta tem tu am in per di ti o nem, hæ re di ta tem tu am in per di-
ti o nem, ij in ter ve ſti bu lū & al ta re plo-
rabāt ſa cerdo tes di centes. par ce po pu lo tu o, ij


par ce po pu lo tu o, ij par ce po pu lo tu-
o. ij


Vſ ci pe quæſo Do mi ne vo cem cõ fi ten tis, con fi ten-
tis, vocem confi ten tis, confi ten tis, ij
ij ſce le ra me a nõ de fendo, nõ de fen do ſe le ra
me a nõ de fen do, ij pec ca ui ij pec ca-
ui De us, mi ſe re re me i mi ſe re re me i De us mi ſe re re me-

i, ij pecca ui ij de le culpas meas gra ti-

a tu a gra ti a tu a, gra ti-

a gra ti a tu a grati a tu a gra ti-

a ij tu a.
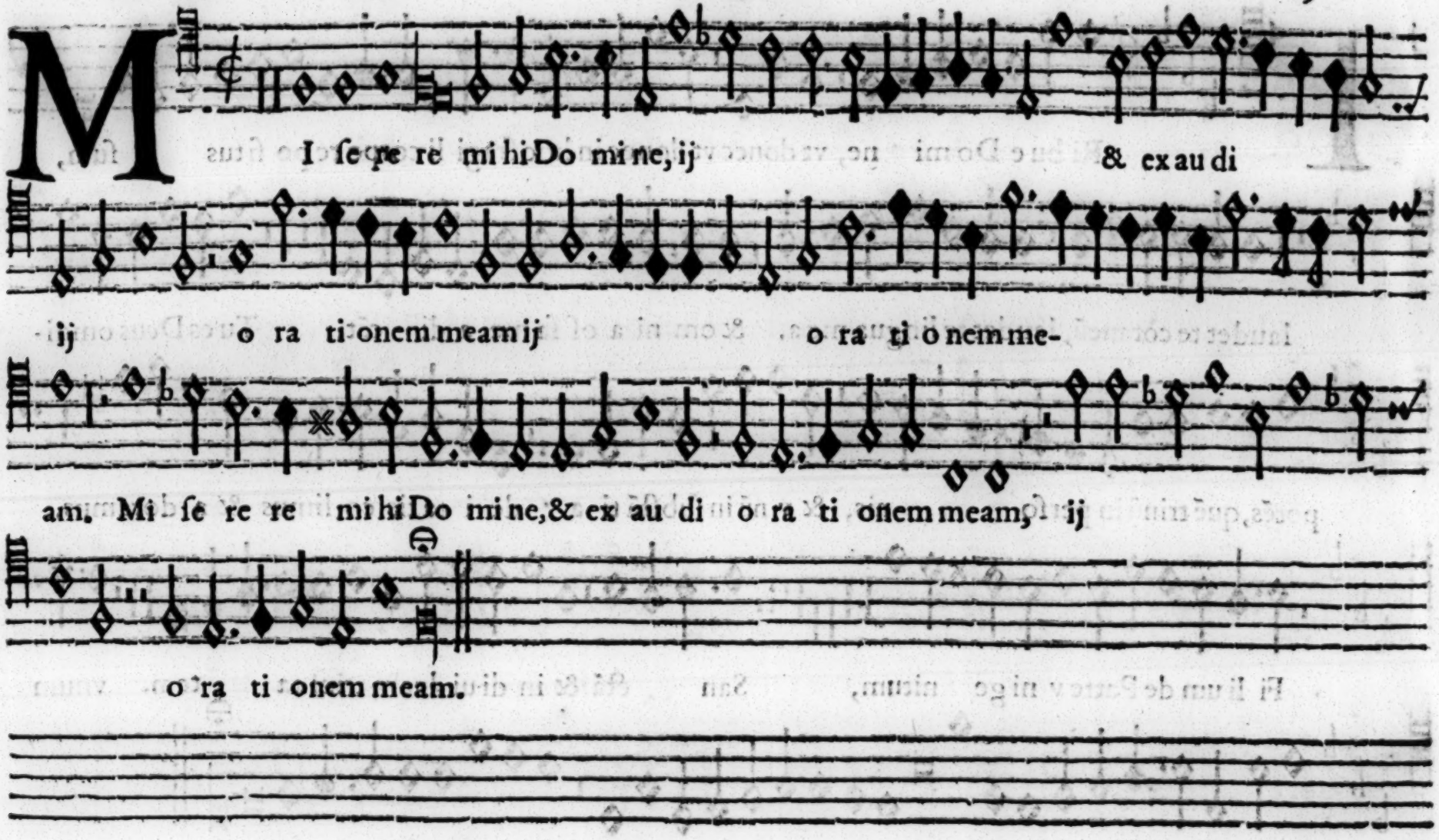
S I enim i niquita tes recorda be ris recorda beris quis ſuſti ne at, ij

ij quis e nī iuſtus qui ſe di ce re aude at ſi ne peccato eſ ſe, qui ſe di ce re au de at

ſi ne peccato eſ ſe ſi ne peccato ij eſ ſe, nullus eſt

e nī mūdus incō ſpe ctu tu o in cōſpectu tu o, ij nullus eſt enim mūdus

in cōſpectu tu o. ij ij


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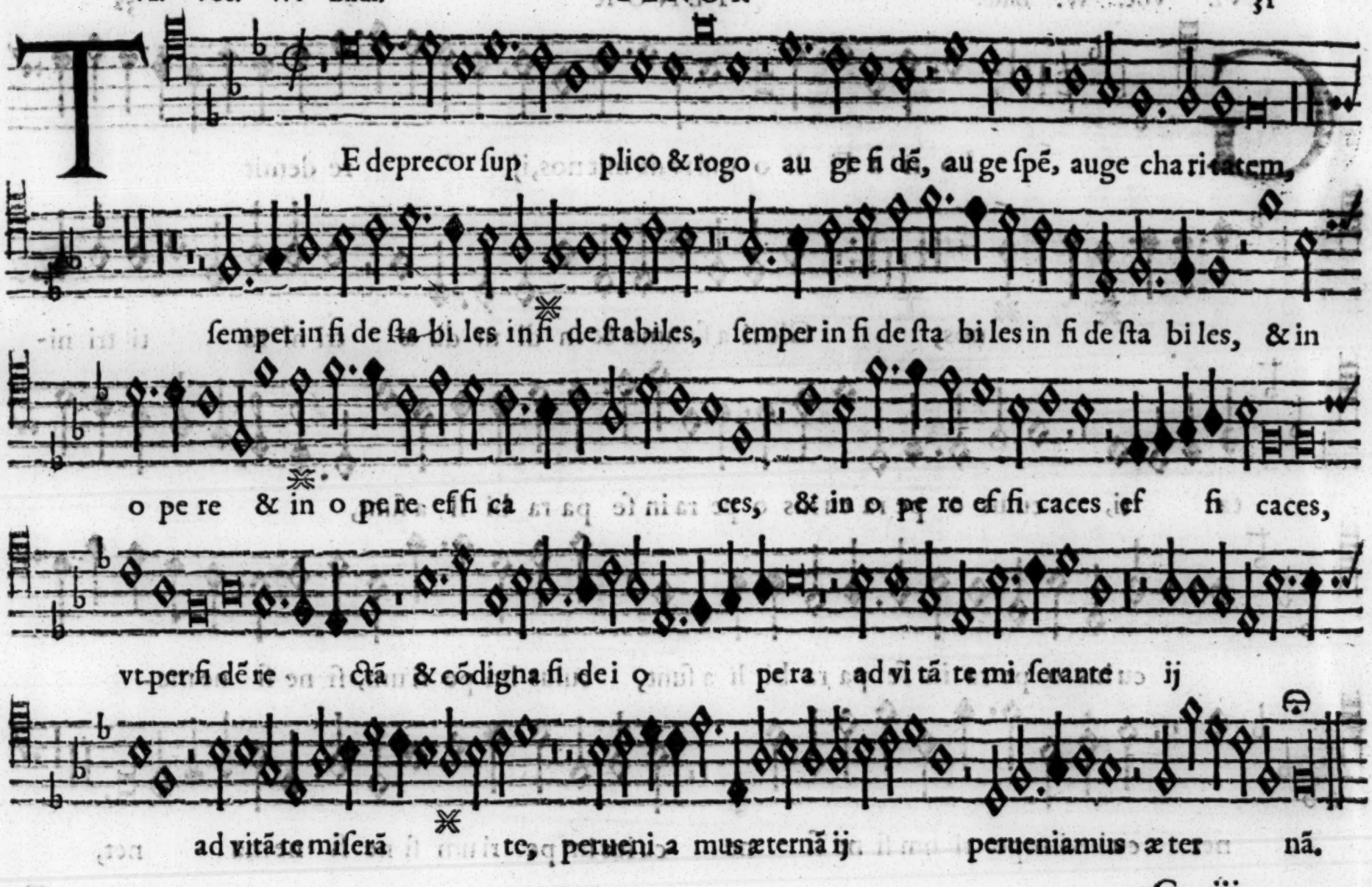
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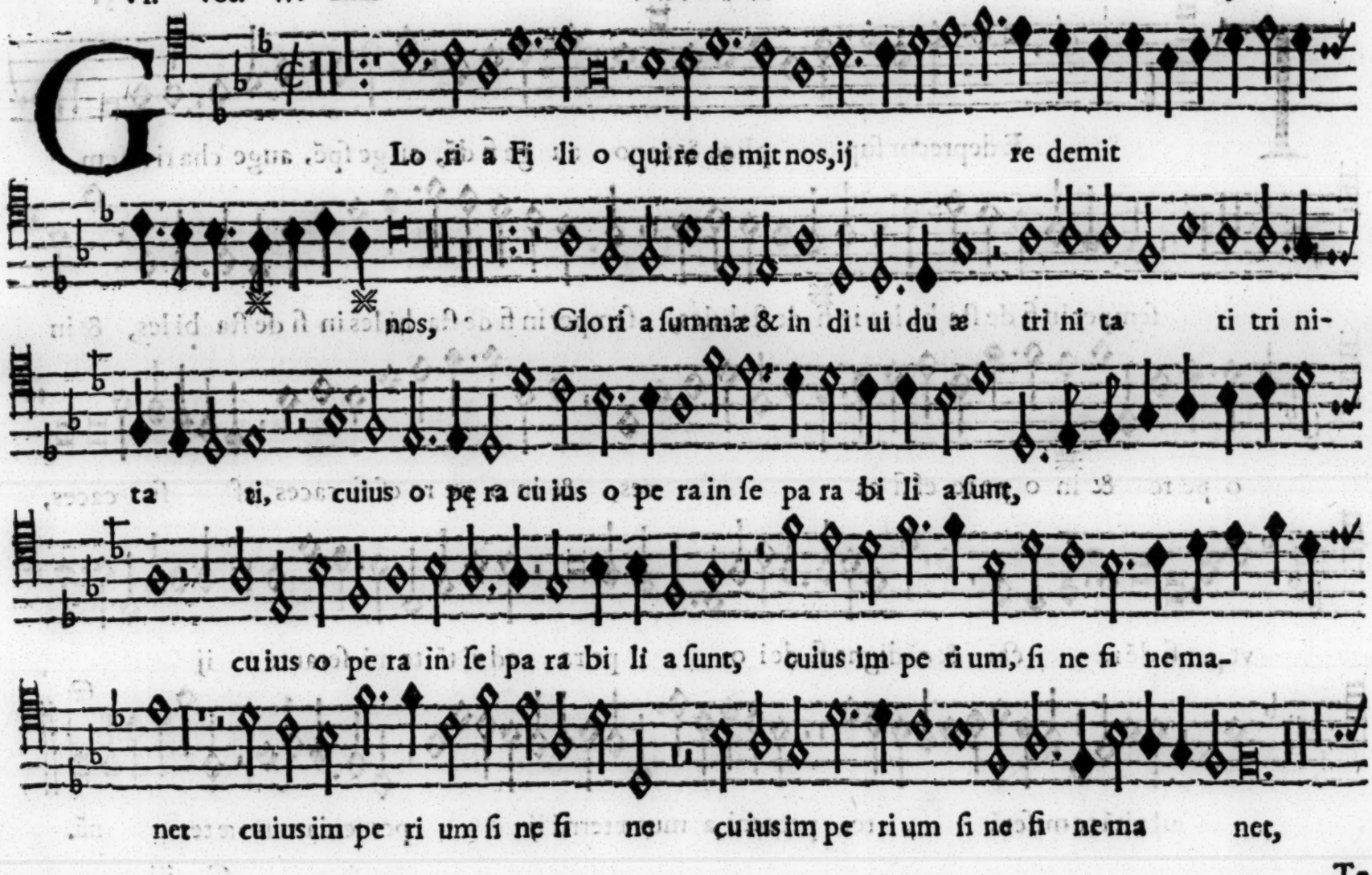
laudet te cor meũ, laudet te lingua me a, & om ni a oſ ſa me a di cãt, Tu es Deus omni-

potẽs, quẽ trinũ in perſo nis, & vnũ in ſubſtã ti a de i ta tis co limus & a doramus,

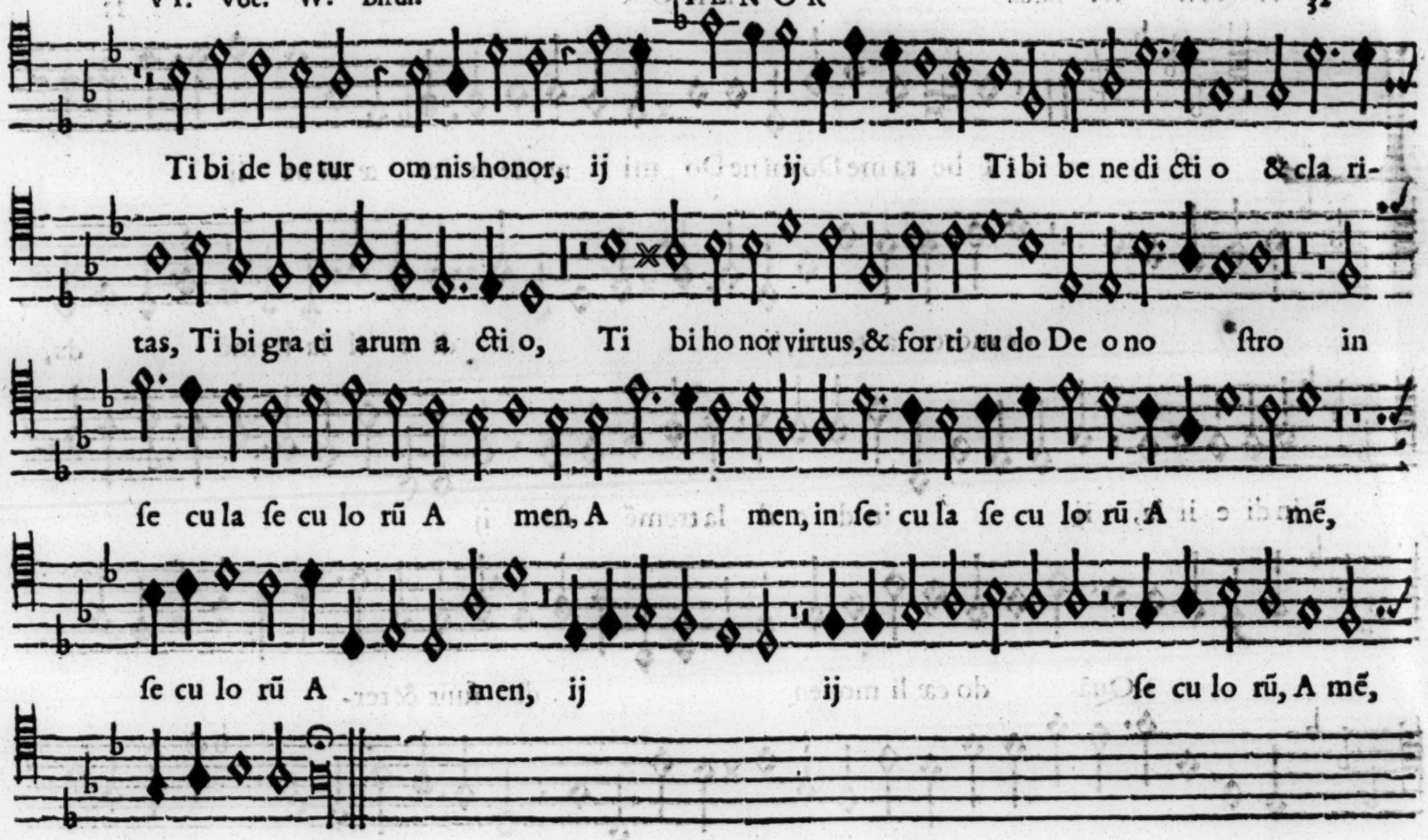
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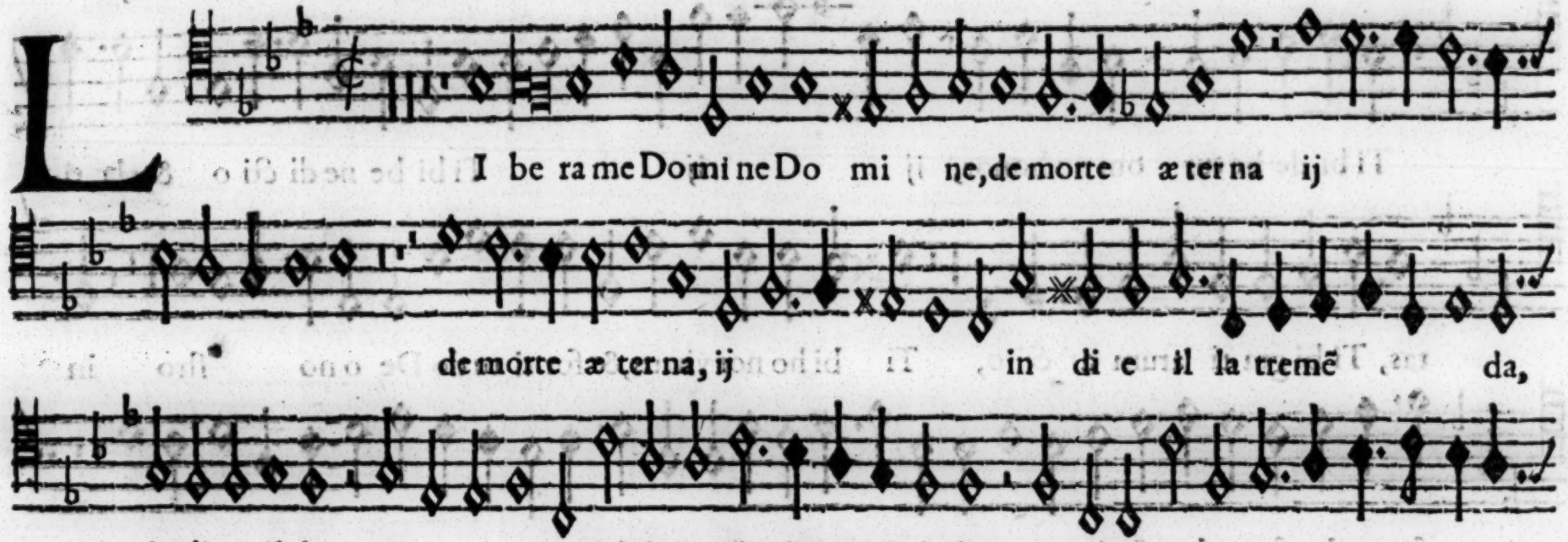
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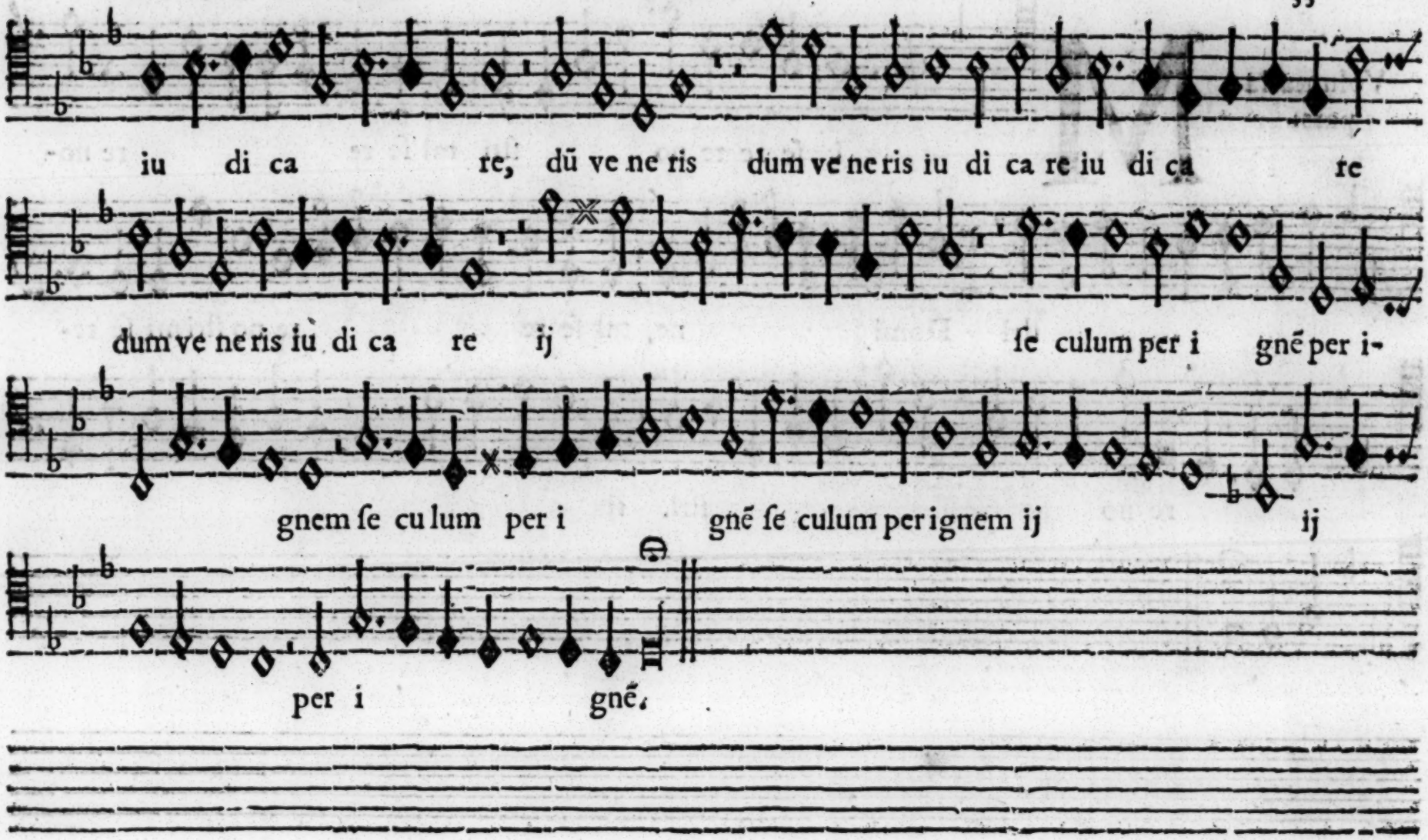

TE deprecor ſup plico & rogo au ge fi dē, au ge ſpē, auge cha ri tatem,
ſemper in fi de ſta bi les in fi de ſtabiles, ſemper in fi de ſta bi les in fi de ſta bi les, & in
o pe re & in o pe re effi ca ces, & in o pe re ef fi caces ef fi caces,
vt per fi dē re ctā & cōdigna fi de i o pe ra ad vi tā te mi ſeranté ij
ad vitā te miſerā te, perueni a mus æternā ij perueniamus æ ter nā.


Glo ri a Fi li o qui re de mit nos, ij re demit
nos, Glo ri a ſummæ & in di ui du æ tri ni ta ti tri ni-
ta ti, cuius o pe ra cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt,
cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, cuius im pe ri um, ſi ne fi ne ma-
net cuius im pe ri um ſi ne fi ne cuius im pe ri um ſi ne fi ne ma net,
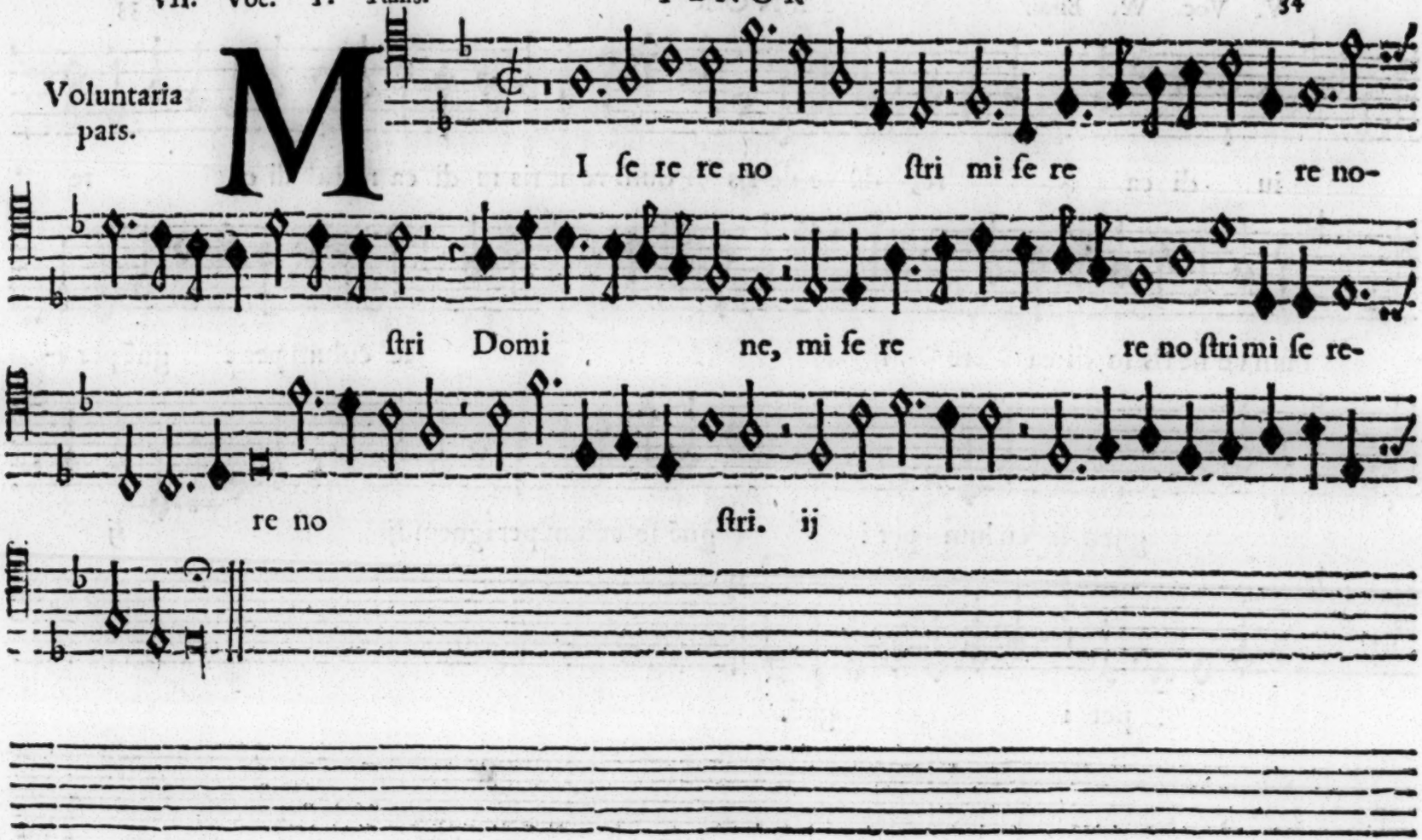
Te


Ti bi de be tur om nis honor, ij ij Ti bi be ne di cti o & cla ri-
tas, Ti bi gra ti arum a cti o, Ti bi ho nor virtus, & for ti tu do De o no ſtro in
ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ A men, A men, in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ. A mẽ,
ſe cu lo rũ A men, ij ij ſe cu lo rũ, A mẽ,
A mẽ.


Libera me Domine Domine, de morte æterna ij
de morte æterna, ij in die illa tremẽ da,
in die illa, ij in die illa tremẽ da, ij
Quã do cæli mouen di sunt & ter-
ra, cæli mouendi sunt & ter ra, cæli mouen di sunt & ter ra: Dũ ve ne ris


iu di ca re, dũ ve ne ris dum ve ne ris iu di ca re iu di ca re
dum ve ne ris iu di ca re ij ſe culum per i gnẽ per i-
gnem ſe cu lum per i gnẽ ſe culum per ignem ij ij
per i gnẽ.

Voluntaria pars.



## AVTORES CANTIONVM AD LECTOREM.

*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

# INDEX, IN QVO PRIOR NVMERVS NOTAT, QVOT PARTIVM SIT QVAE-QVE CANTIO, POSTERIOR, SITV, & ordine quota ſit.

| *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* | *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abſterge Domine. | 5. | 2. | In ieiunio. | 5. | 26. |
| Aſpice Domine. | 6. | 10. | | | |
| Attollite portas. | 6. | 11. | Libera me. | 5. | 5 |
| | | | Laudate pueri. | 6. | 17. |
| Derelinquit impius. | 5. | 13. | Libera me. | 5. | 33. |
| Da mihi auxilium, | 6. | 23. | | | |
| Domine ſecundum. | 6. | 24. | Mihi autem | 5. | 7. |
| Diliges Dominum. | 8. | 25. | Memento homo. | 6. | 18. |
| | | | Miſerere mihi. | 6. | 29. |
| Emendemus. | 5. | 4. | Miſerere noſtri. | 7. | 34. |
| Facti ſunt. | 5. | 22. | O nata lux. | 5. | 8. |
| | | | O ſacrum conuiuium. | 5. | 9. |
| Gloria Patri. | 6. | 32. | O lux. | 6. | 12. |
| In manus tuas. | 5. | 3. | Peccantem me. | 5. | 6. |
| Ille dum pergunt. | 5. | 16. | Procul recedant. | 5. | 20. |

Sal-

| *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* | *Cantio.* | *Partes.* | *Ordo.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Saluator mundi. | 5. | 1. | Tribue Domine. | 6. | 30. |
| Sabbatum. | 5. | 14. | Te deprecor. | 6. | 31. |
| Siderum rector. | 5. | 19. | | | |
| Saluator. | 5. | 21. | Virtus& poteſtas. | 5. | 15. |
| Suſcipe quæſo. | 7. | 27. | | | |
| Si enim. | 7. | 28. | | | |


## Canones de tribus cantionibus.

Diliges Dominum, octo partes in quatuor, rectà & retrò.
Miſerere mihi, quatuor partes in duabus, cum duabus alijs ad placitum.
Miſerere noſtri, 6. partes in duabus, cum vna parte ad placitum.

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

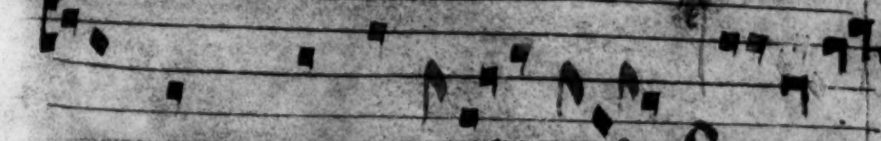
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*for the printing of muſicke.*

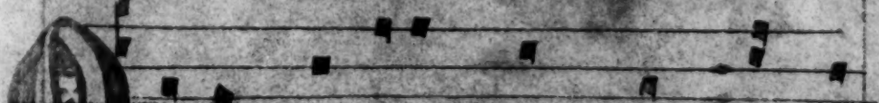
*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokeſellers and other officers miniſters and ſubiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the eſpeciall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the ſcience of muſicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued ſeruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the aſſignes of them and of the ſuruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next enſuing, to imprint any and ſo many as they will of ſet ſonge or ſonges in partes, either in Engliſh, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may ſerue for muſicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwiſe to be either plaid or ſoonge, And that they may rule and cauſe to be ruled by impreſſion any paper to ſerue for printing or pricking of any ſonge or ſonges, and may ſell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any ſonge or ſonges, or any bookes or quieres of ſuch ruled paper imprinted, Alſo we ſtraightly by the ſame forbid all printers bookeſellers ſubiects & ſtrangers, other then as is aforeſaid, to do any the premiſſes, or to bring or cauſe to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any ſonge or ſonges made and printed in any forren countrie, to ſell or put to ſale, vpon paine of our high diſpleaſure, And the offender in any of the premiſſes for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and ſucceſſors fortie ſhllings, and to the ſaid Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their aſſignes & to the aſſignes of the ſuruiuer of thē, all & euery the ſaid bokes papers ſonge or ſonges, VVe haue alſo by the ſame willed & commaunded our printers, maiſters & wardens of the miſterie of ſtacioners, to aſſiſt the ſaid Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their aſſignes for the dewe executing of the premiſſes.*



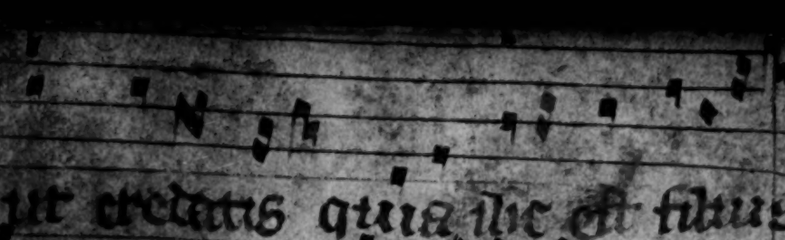
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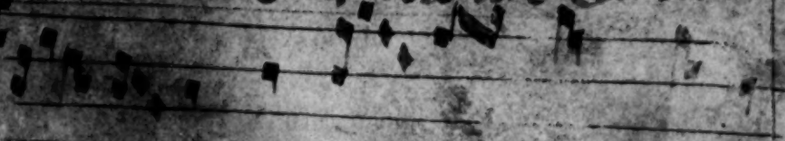


eis pax vobis alla alla. ℣. Magn.
℟. Prius q̃s ompe dsur qui. ayē.
de reliquiis. ℟. Et respicies. ℣.
Reliquerunt dns. ℟. Os p unū.
Hec. &. dicant per tot ebd.
ad. ℣s. et ad matut. super
Magn. & super: Benedic. Ant.



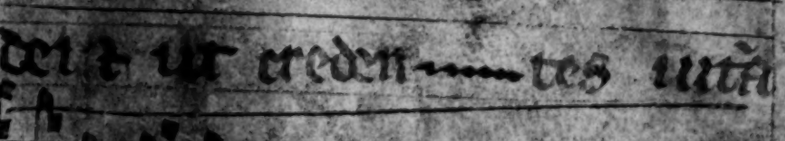
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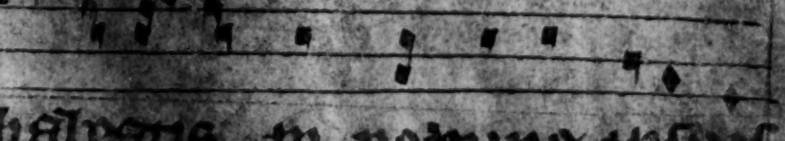


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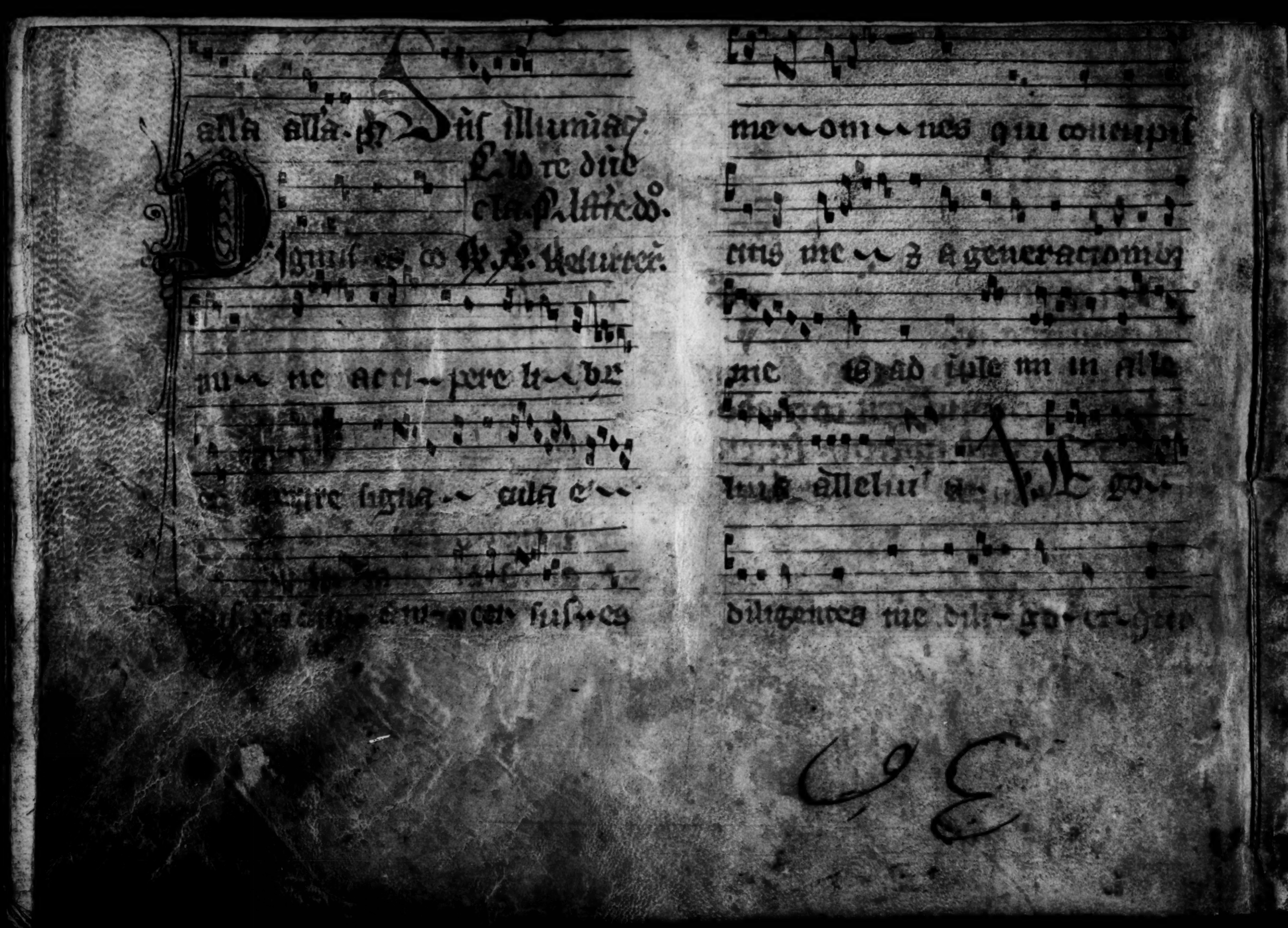


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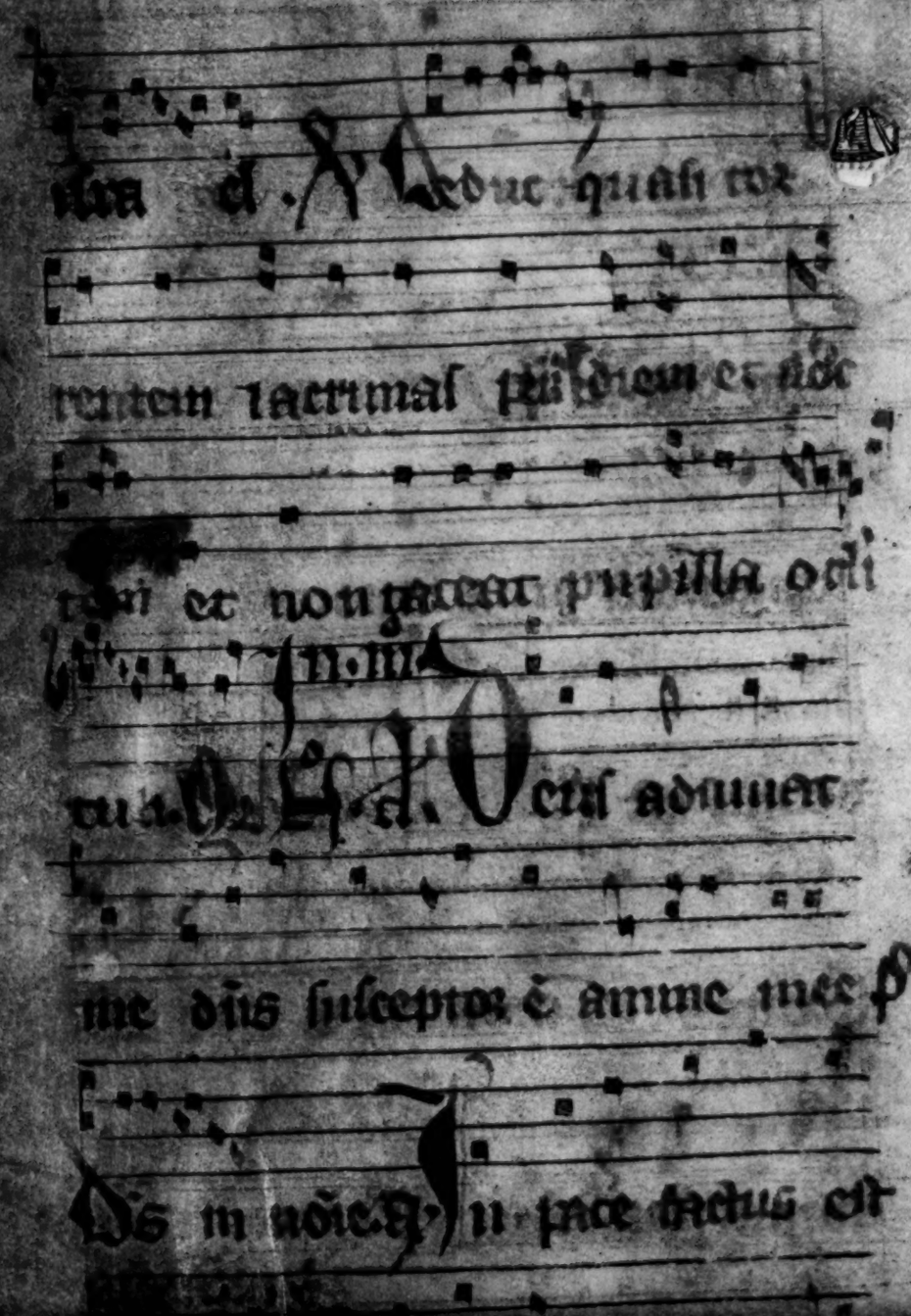
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q̃dã fecit mi-
rabilia . Homilia q̃ dicit re
gis in i festo. S. Eius dr. hec scripta
sunt. &. ad ℣s. & ad matut ad memo-
riale usq; ad alleluia dñi in i dñica
¶ Ad recipiendum ℣s. Ant.



# Contratenor



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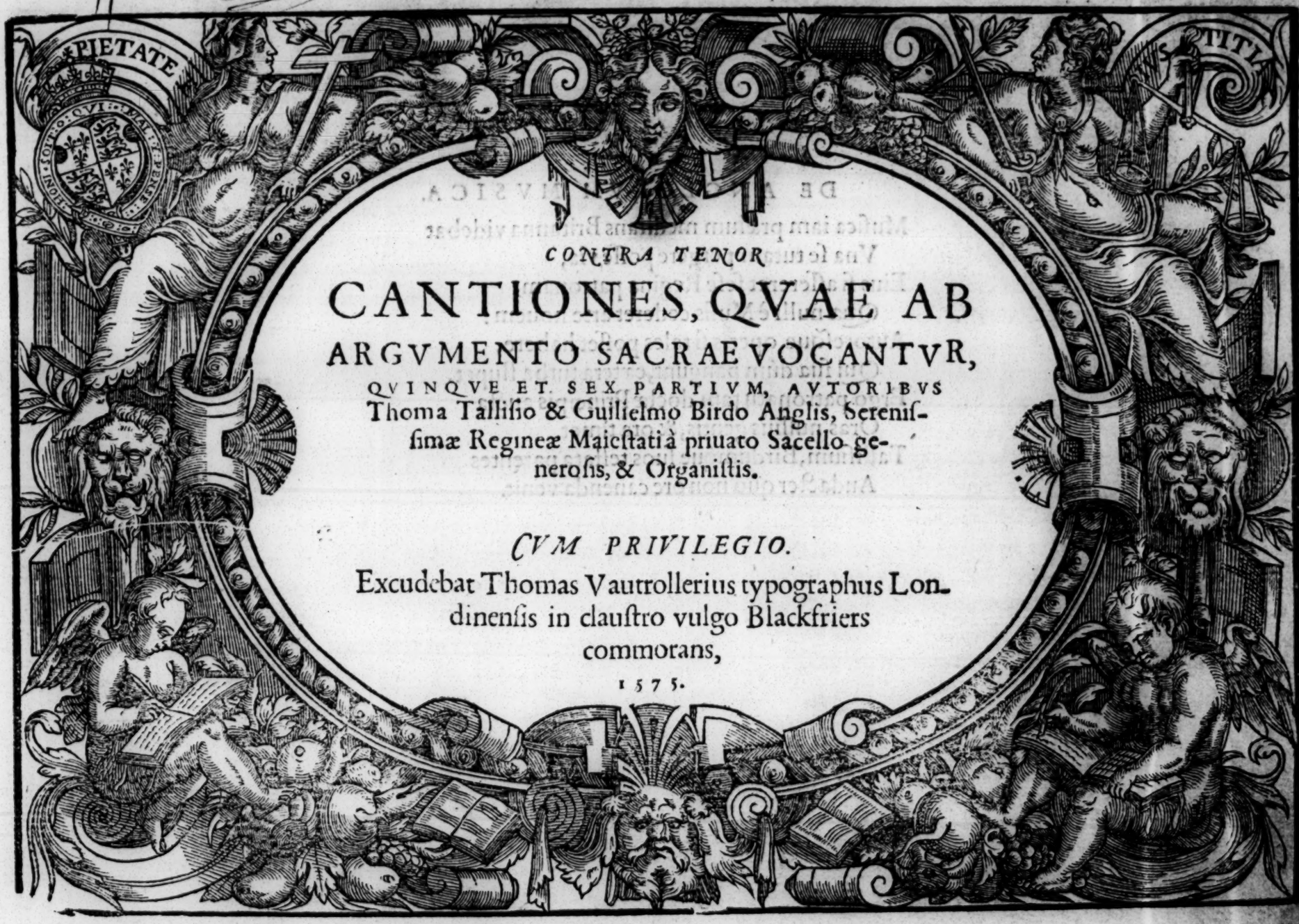
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CONTRA TENOR

# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET SEX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS
Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſſimæ Regineæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

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## DE ANGLORVM MVSICA.

Muſica iam prælum meditans Britanna videbat
Vna ſe tutam pergere poſſe via,
Eius ſi aſſereret ſeſe Regina patronam,
Quæ nulli è Muſis cederet arte nouem:
Autoreſque operis ſi tales poſſet habere,
Qui ſua dum pangunt, cætera turba ſtupet.
Ergo patronatu tam doctæ Principis aucta
Oras nullius gentis, & ora timet.
Talliſium, Birdumque ſuos teſtata parentes
Audacter quo non ore canenda venit.

# SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPI

## ELIZABETHAE DEI GRATIA ANGLIÆ FRANCIÆ

& Hiberniæ Reginæ &c. virtutis & vitæ fortunatum progressum.



*SI nobis res esset, Serenissima Princeps, vel cum iis, qui artem Musicam, quia non norunt, non probant, vel cum iis, qui ipsi iudicio ex arte carentes eius præstantiam admirabili sonorum effectu metiuntur : Philosophos, Mathematicos, Rerumpub. architectos aduocaremus, qui eius necessarium Reipub. vsum argumentis & experiẽtia, vel infensissimo Musici nominis hosti extorquerent: Poëtas & allegoricè docẽtes quosdam Physicos citaremus, qui apud homines imperitos illos quidẽ, sed incredibili tamen rei Musicæ admiratione delinitos facile impetrarent, cum ea arte nullam esse aliam quæ de principatu possit contendere. Sed cum apud tuam Maiestatem res agatur quæ delectu tuo iudicium tuũ prodidisti, & canendi peritiã tibi probari, in eo probas omnibus, quòd ei arti ita semper regiè incubueris, vt in ea iam egregiè profeceris, & cum summis artificibus comparata, vel vocis elegantia, vel digitorum agilitate facile illis præmineas, satis erit in tua solius scientia & iudicio conquiescere, neque pluribus ad fidem rei faciendam argumentis vti, ne vel dubitando suspicionẽ ementitæ laudis videamur alicui ingenerare, vel nimis curiosa argumentatione, aliquid de tuæ Maiestatis præstanti iudicio detrahere, quasi vel parum considerate eam primo cõplexa fueris vel iam de priori sentẽtia vacillare cœperis, cui si nostrã operã probamus, omnibus eam probatã iri cõfidimus, cũ iudicio tuo ab omnibus tãtum tribuatur. Qua itaque es peritia, Illustrissima Princeps, ad tuam Maiestatem, vt iudicem confugimus, qua clementia vt ad patronam nos recipimus, quæ prolem hanc nostram tua auctoritate sic apud omnes tueare, vt nos ipsos liberalissimo tuo stipendio hactenus aluisti. Confidentiæ nostræ ignoscet Serenissima Maiestas tua, quòd tantam principem sic ausi simus interpellare, cum è solo voluntatis tuæ testimonio pendeat, debeamusne vlterius in hoc genere progredi, an hoc vno libro labores nostros terminare. Deus. opt. Max. Maiestatem tuam diu, incolumiter, fortunatè nobis conseruet.*

TVÆ MAIESTATIS
humillimi Seruientes. Tho.
Tall. & Guil. Birdus.



T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.
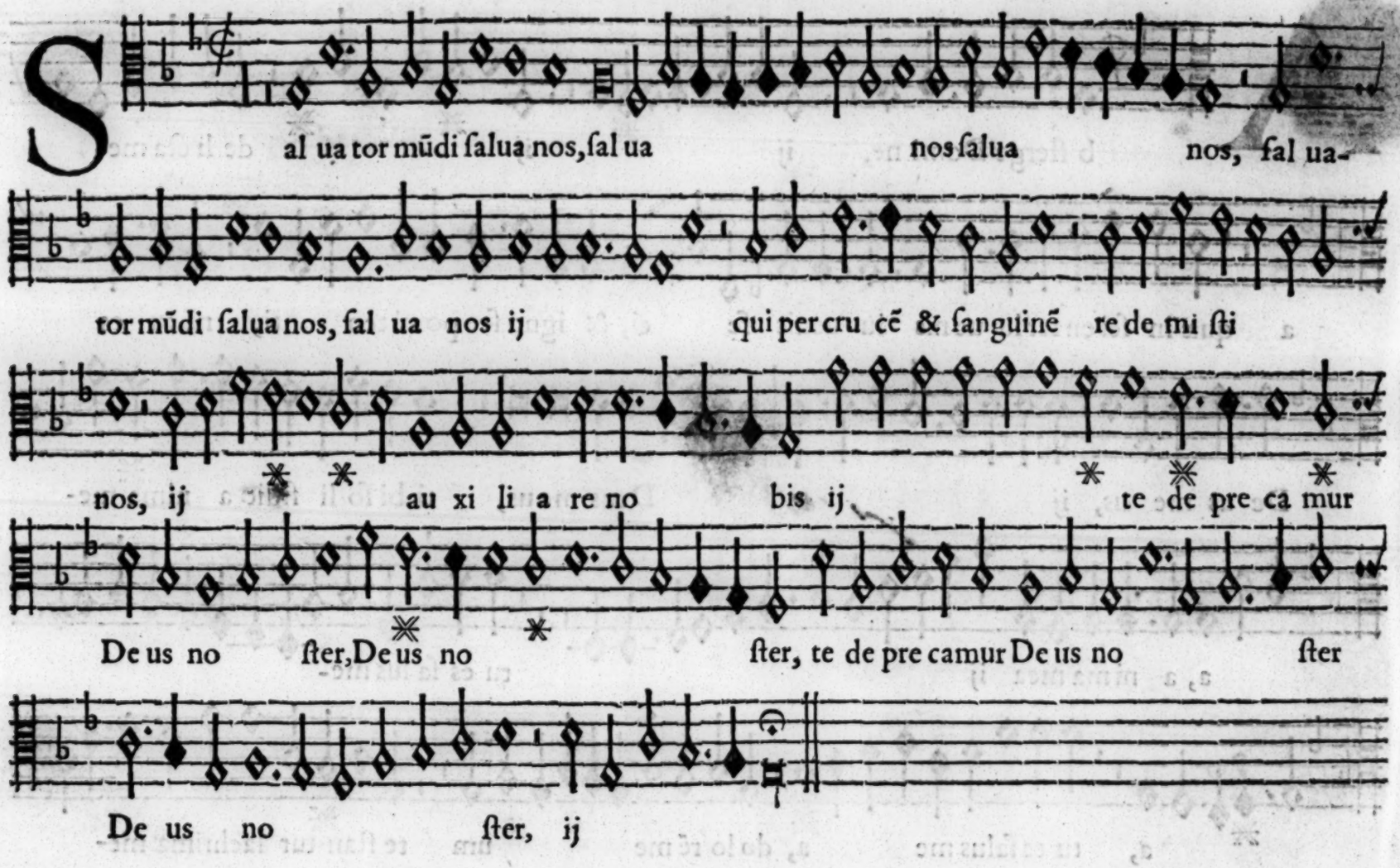
*QVanti sit precij res Musica, quamq; regendis*
*Insanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ sedem cuiuslibet esse,*
*E quibus efficitur Musica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Respublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Musica sedem*
*Obtineat, primo sitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quod & insignes medici, qui sana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conseruet, mentem Musica sana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philosophis annosa vetustas*
*Conspirans hanc est tota secuta viam.*
*Sed neque posteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à se prorsus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum discrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet esse sibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Musica iure,*
*Vt quò quisque sapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo summo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maiestas ætatis gloria nostræ*
*Hanc in delicijs semper habere solet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipsa etiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel semper amarunt,*
*Ausæ sunt scriptis nobilitate suis.*
*Illustres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere scienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum nostra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, sed semper passa latere suos,*
*Tallisium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum discutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt sic,*
*Iudicio patriæ siquid honoris inest,*
*Nomen honoratum sibi promereatur vterq;*
*Musica quà magnum peruia nomen habet,*
*Quorum iudicio fidens se pandit apertè*
*Musica, quam Oceani Regia diues alit.*
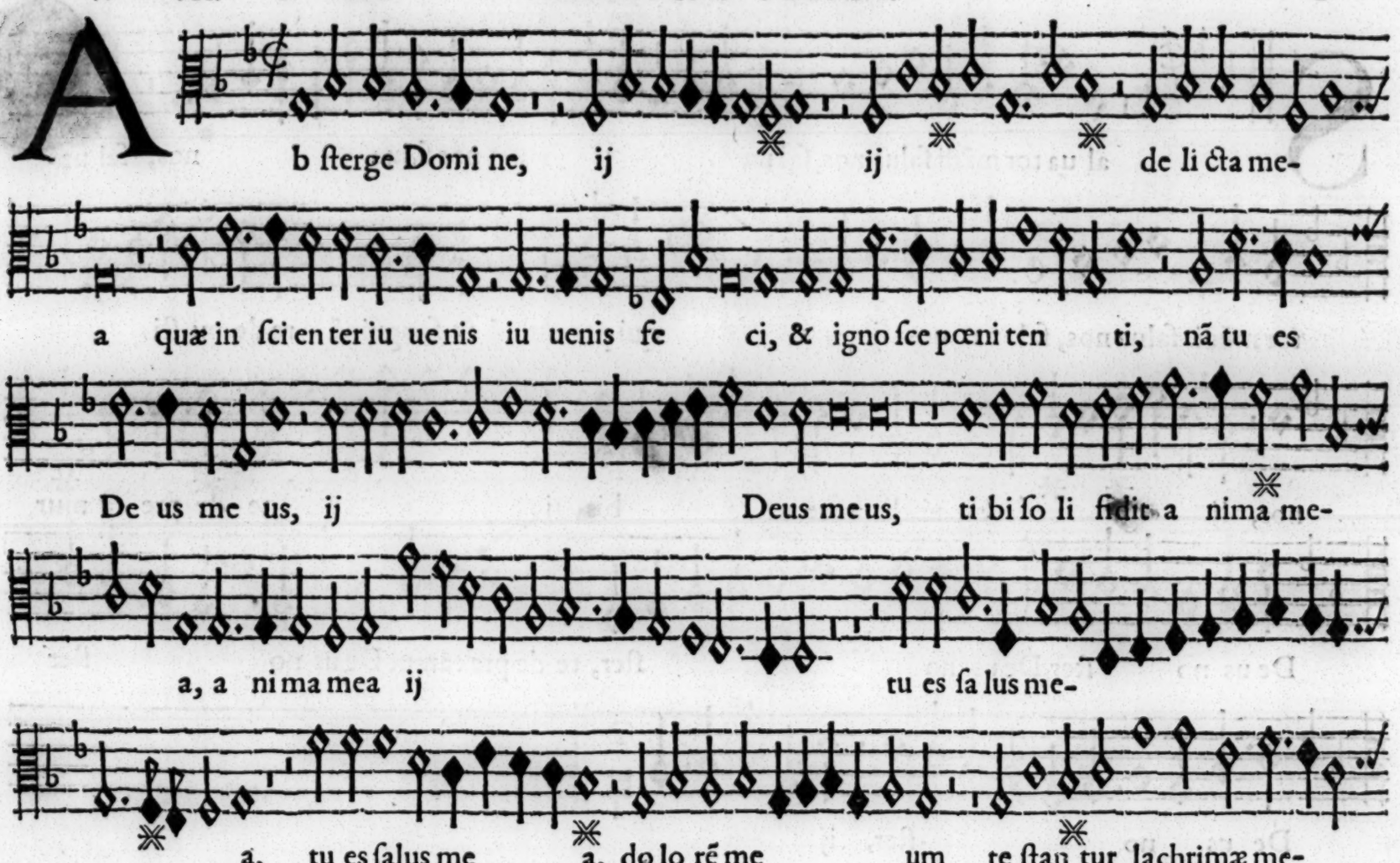
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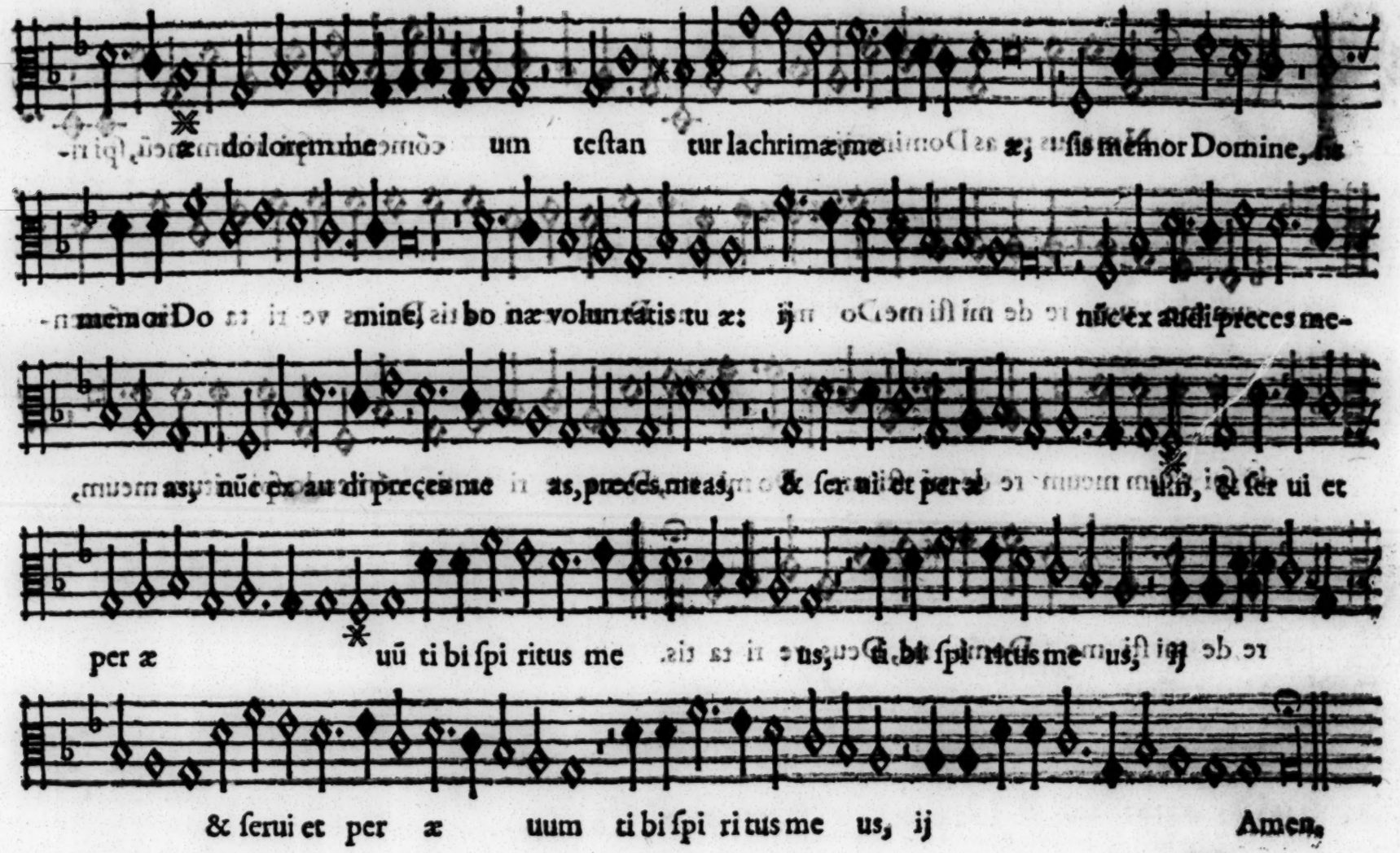
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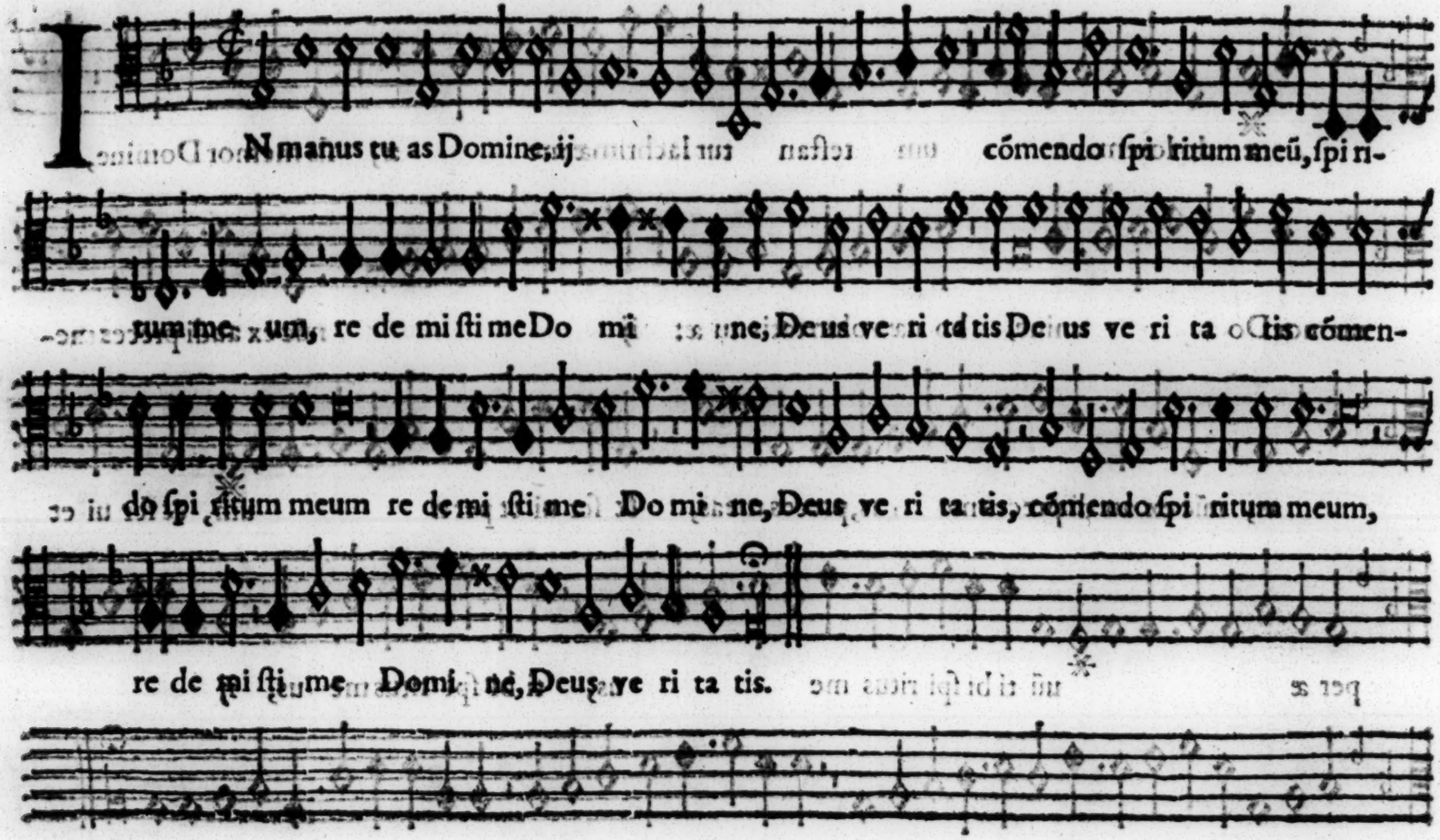
Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Musica præcones cerneret esse sui,
Illorumque opera per summa cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce sonare,
Edere & immensæ posteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuisse modos,
Temporis Alphonsum nostri Phœnica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet esse sua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impressum nomen habere libro.
Penè subirasci cœpit, nostrosque Britannos
Indignos doctis insimulare suis.
Quos certò scierat multum potuisse canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent tristem finire querelam,
Tallisius magno dignus honore senex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magistrum,
Promittunt posthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendosque suos cantus, sua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis passus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio sint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, si pueris rudibus censura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata stylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet esse suos
Hæc habui, venerande senex, mihi magne magister,
Danda tibi mentis conscia signa meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis nostræ spes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum sic orno magistrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod si quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Musica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita nostræ,
Quin debere mihi se quoque Musa putet.
Interea, mihi dum succrescit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi sint bona signa boni.
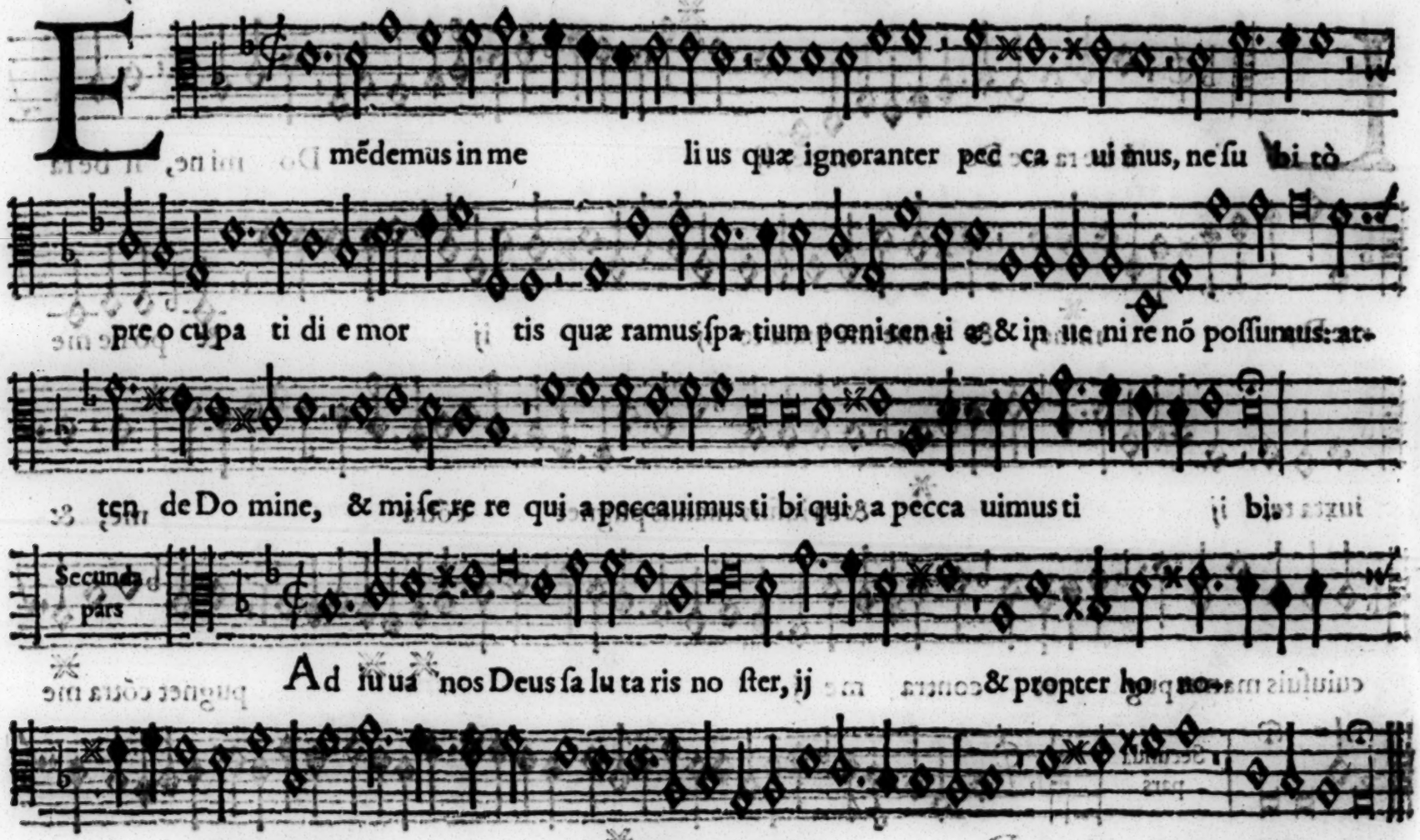
*Ferdinandus Richardsonus.*


Sal ua tor mũdi ſalua nos, ſal ua nos ſalua nos, ſal ua-
tor mũdi ſalua nos, ſal ua nos ij qui per cru cẽ & ſanguinẽ re de mi ſti
nos, ij au xi li a re no bis ij te de pre ca mur
De us no ſter, De us no ſter, te de pre camur De us no ſter
De us no ſter, ij


Ab ſterge Domi ne, ij ij de li cta me-
a quæ in ſci en ter iu ue nis iu uenis fe ci, & igno ſce pœni ten ti, nã tu es
De us me us, ij Deus me us, ti bi ſo li fidit a nima me-
a, a ni ma mea ij tu es ſa lus me-
a, tu es ſalus me a, do lo rẽ me um te ſtan tur lachrimæ me-


æ dolorem me um teſtan tur lachrimæ me æ, ſis memor Domine,
memor Do minę, is bo næ voluntatis tu æ: ij nũc ex audi preces me-
æ, nũc ex audi preces me as, preces meas, & ſer uiet per uum, & ſer ui et
per æ uũ ti bi ſpi ritus me us, ti bi ſpi ritus me us, ij
& ſerui et per æ uum ti bi ſpi ri tus me us, ij Amen.


IN manus tuas Domine, commendo spiritum meũ, spiritum meum, re de mi sti me Do mi ne, Deus ve ri ta tis De us ve ri ta tis cõmendo spiritum meum re de mi sti me Do mi ne, Deus ve ri ta tis, cõmendo spiritum meum, re de mi sti me Domi ne, Deus ve ri ta tis.
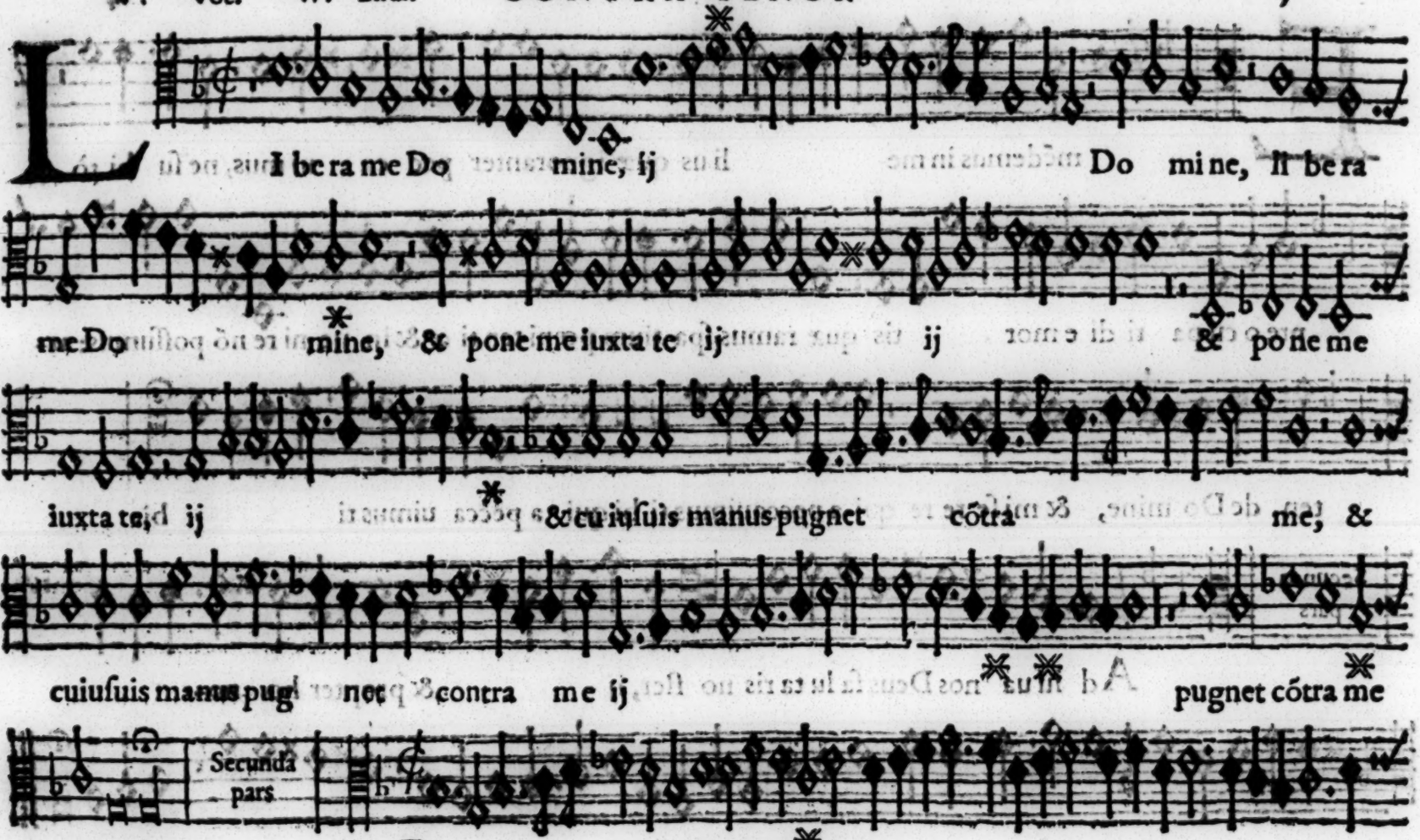



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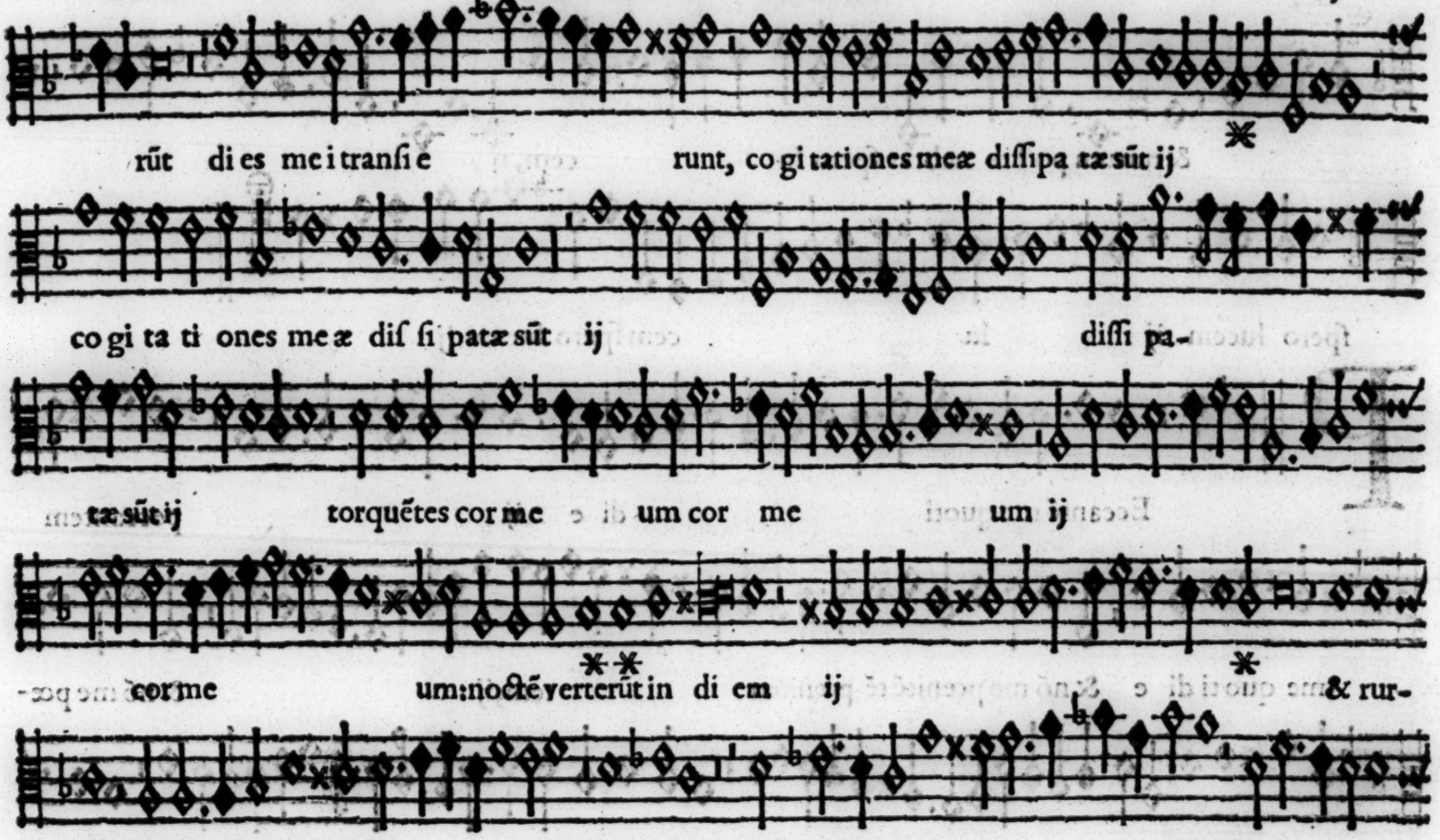
pre o cu pa ti di e mor tis quæ ramus ſpa tium pœnitentiæ & in ue ni re nõ poſſumus: at-
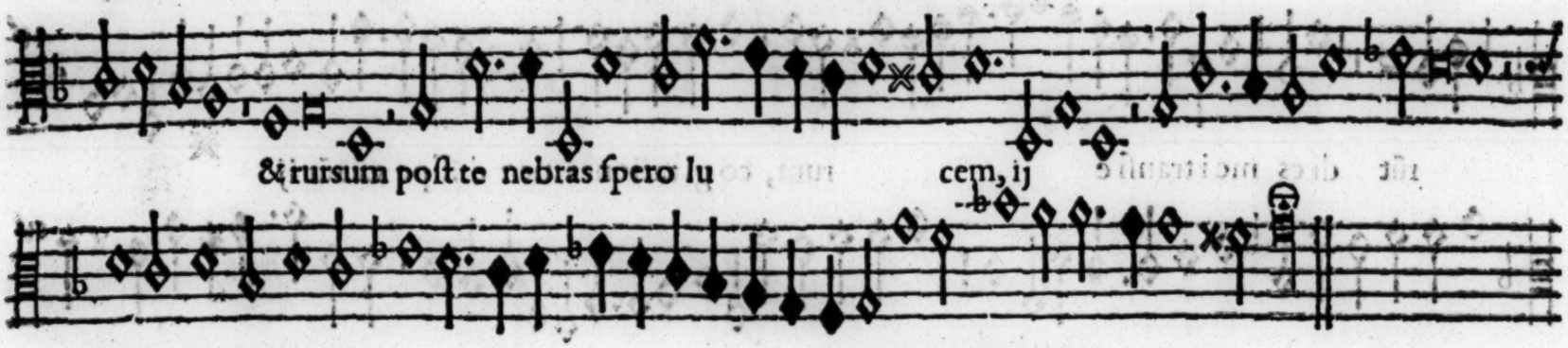
ten de Do mine, & mi ſe re re qui a peccauimus ti bi qui a pecca uimus ti bi
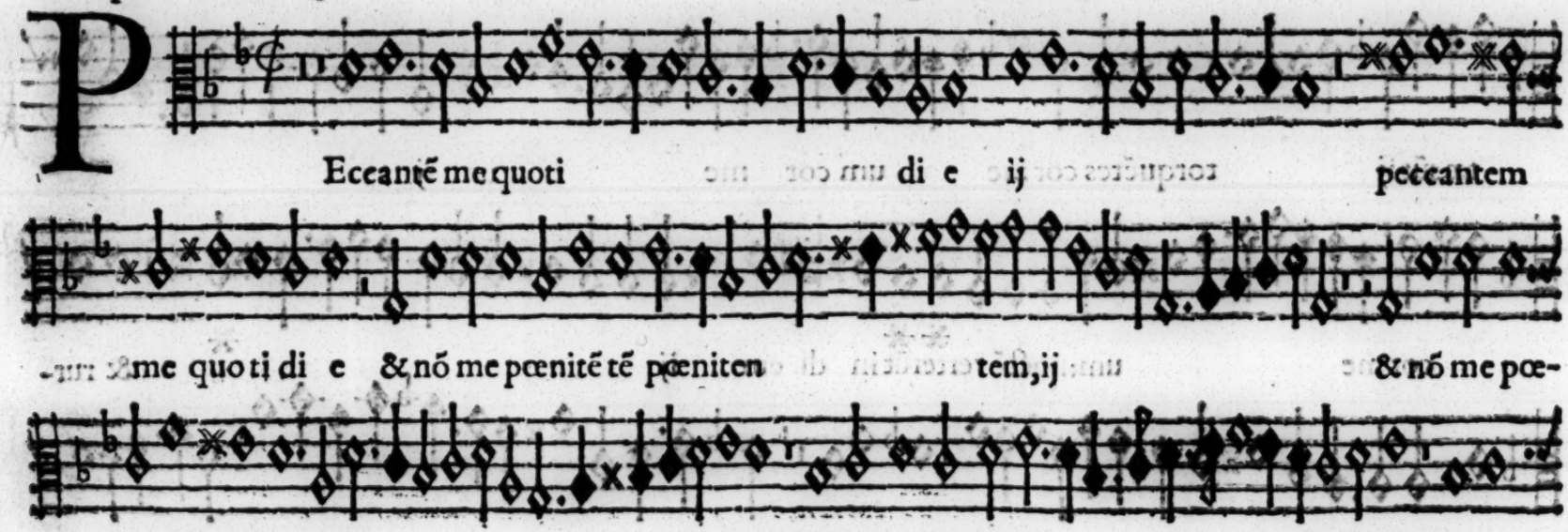
Ad iu ua nos Deus ſa lu ta ris no ſter, ij & propter ho no-

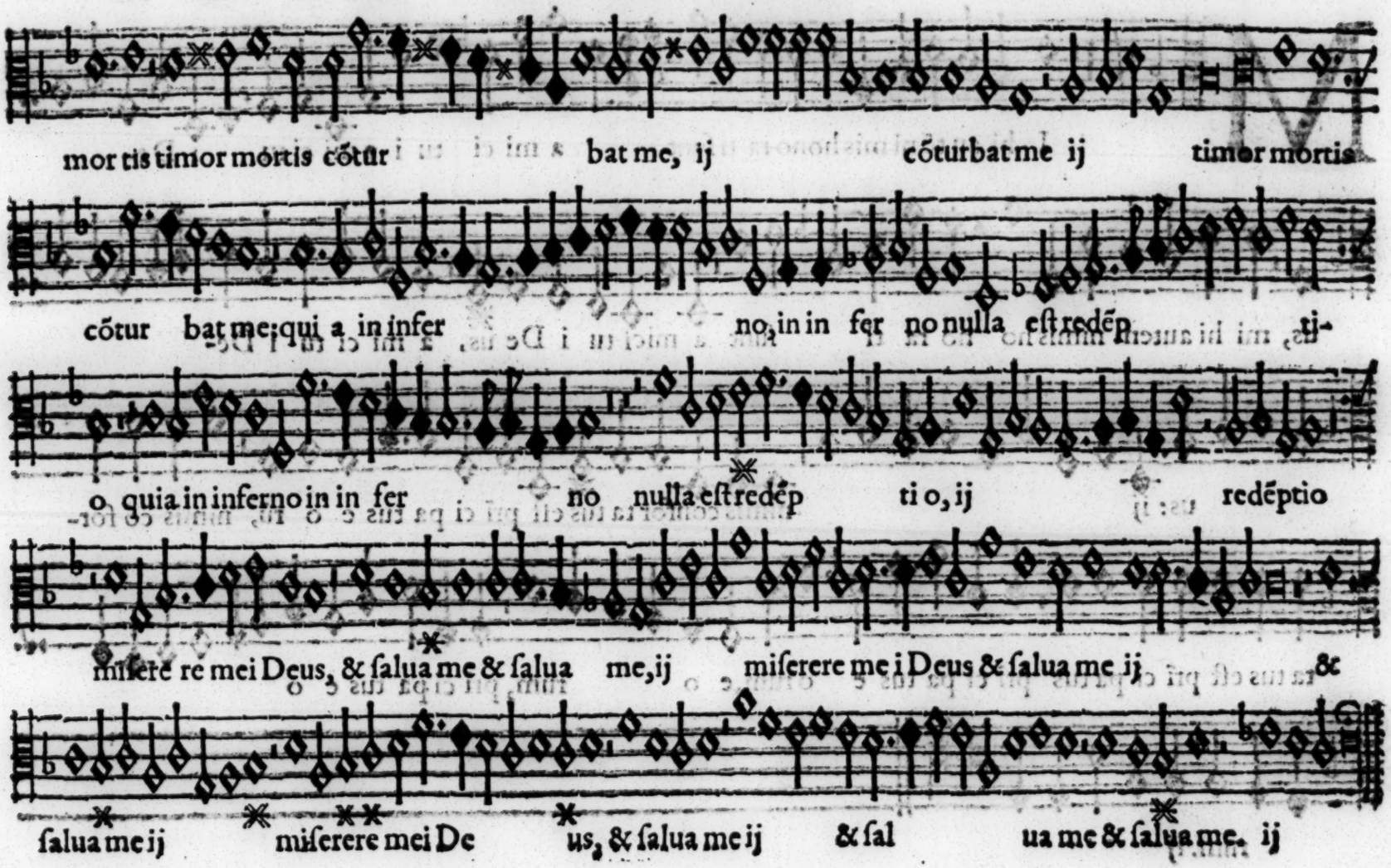
rem nominis tu li be ra nos, ij li be ra nos : li be ra nos.
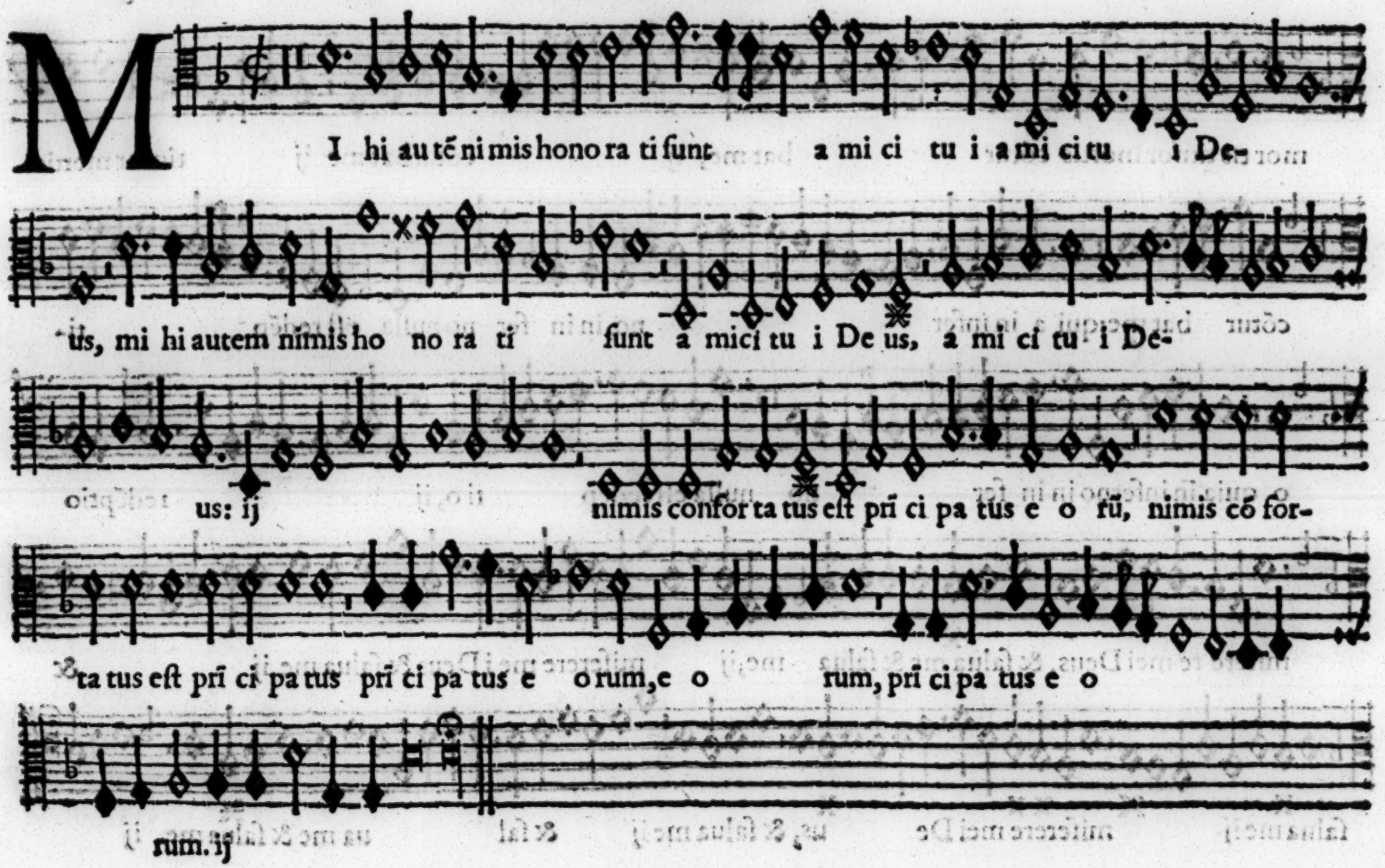

Libera me Domine, ij Domine, libera
me Domine, & pone me iuxta te ij ij & pone me
iuxta te, ij & cuiusuis manus pugnet cõtra me, &
cuiusuis manus pugnet & contra me ij pugnet cõtra me
Secunda pars
cõtra me: Dies mei tra si e-
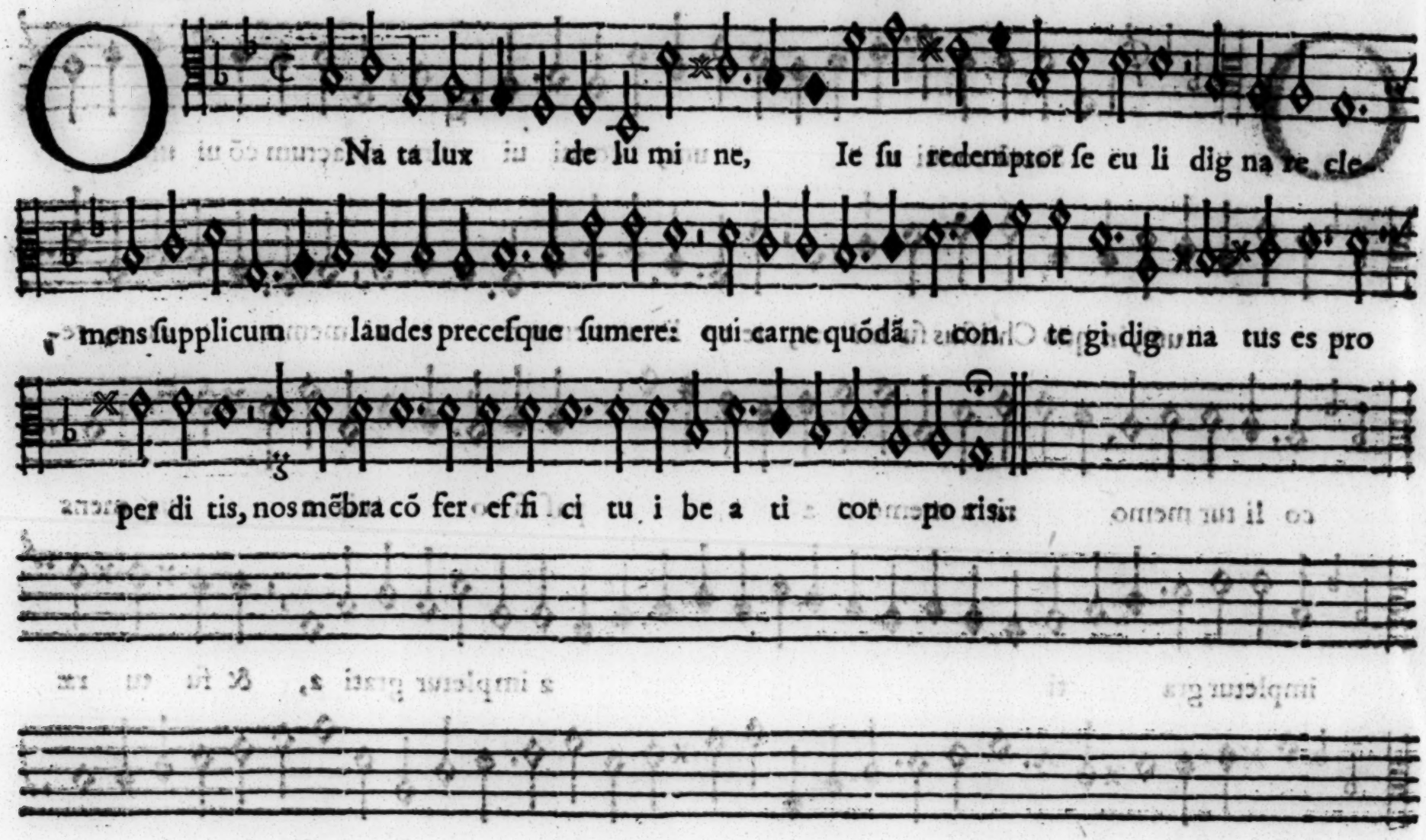

rũt di es me i tranſi e runt, co gi tationes meæ diſſipa tæ sũt ij
co gi ta ti ones me æ diſ ſi patæ sũt ij diſſi pa-
tæ sũt ij torquẽtes cor me um cor me um ij
cor me um: noctẽ verterũt in di em ij & rur-
sũ poſt te nebras ſpe ro lu cem & rursũ poſt tenebras ſpe ro lu cem, ij

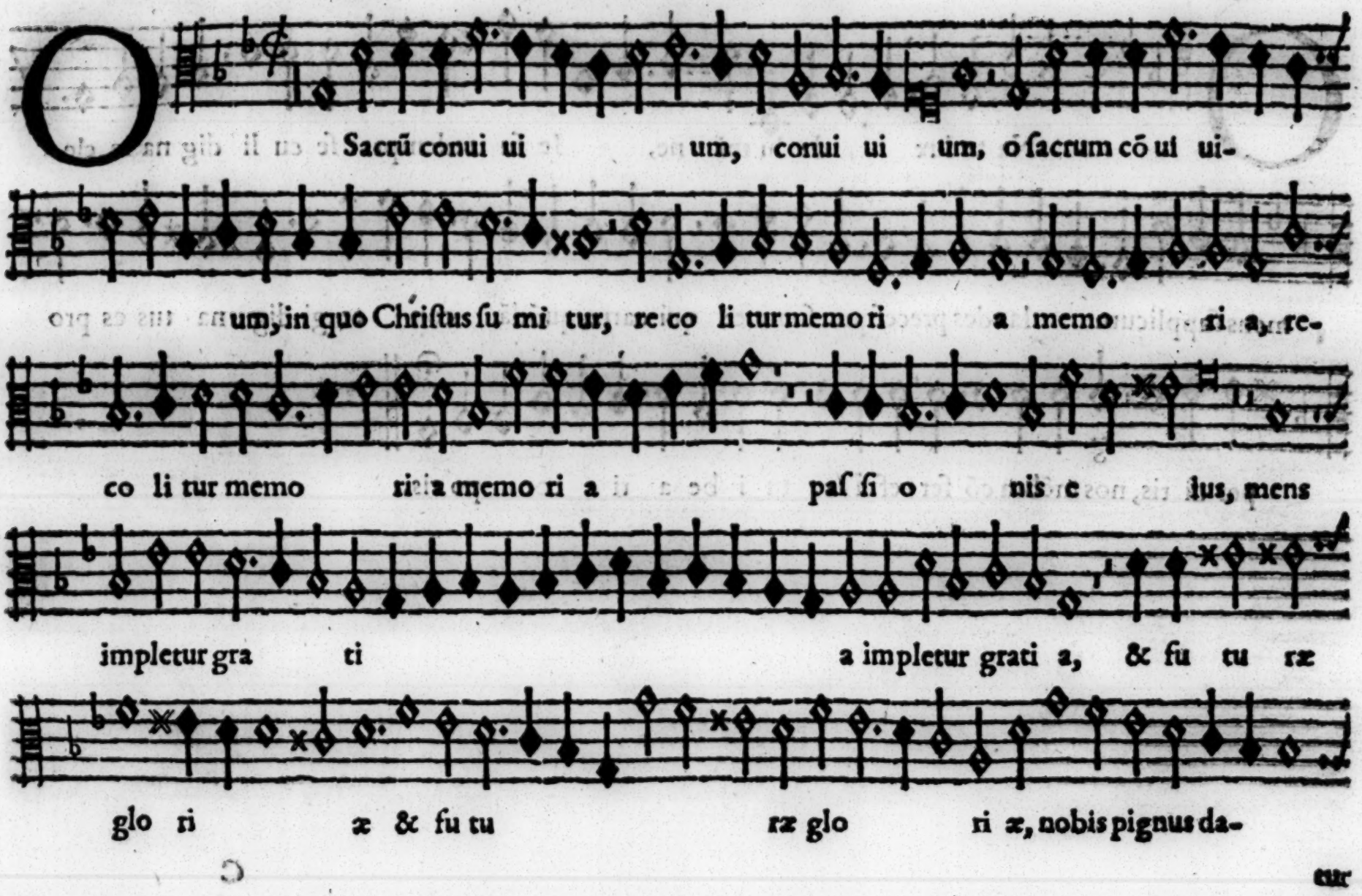

& rursum post te nebras spero lu cem, ij
spero lucem- ij lu cem spero lucem. ij
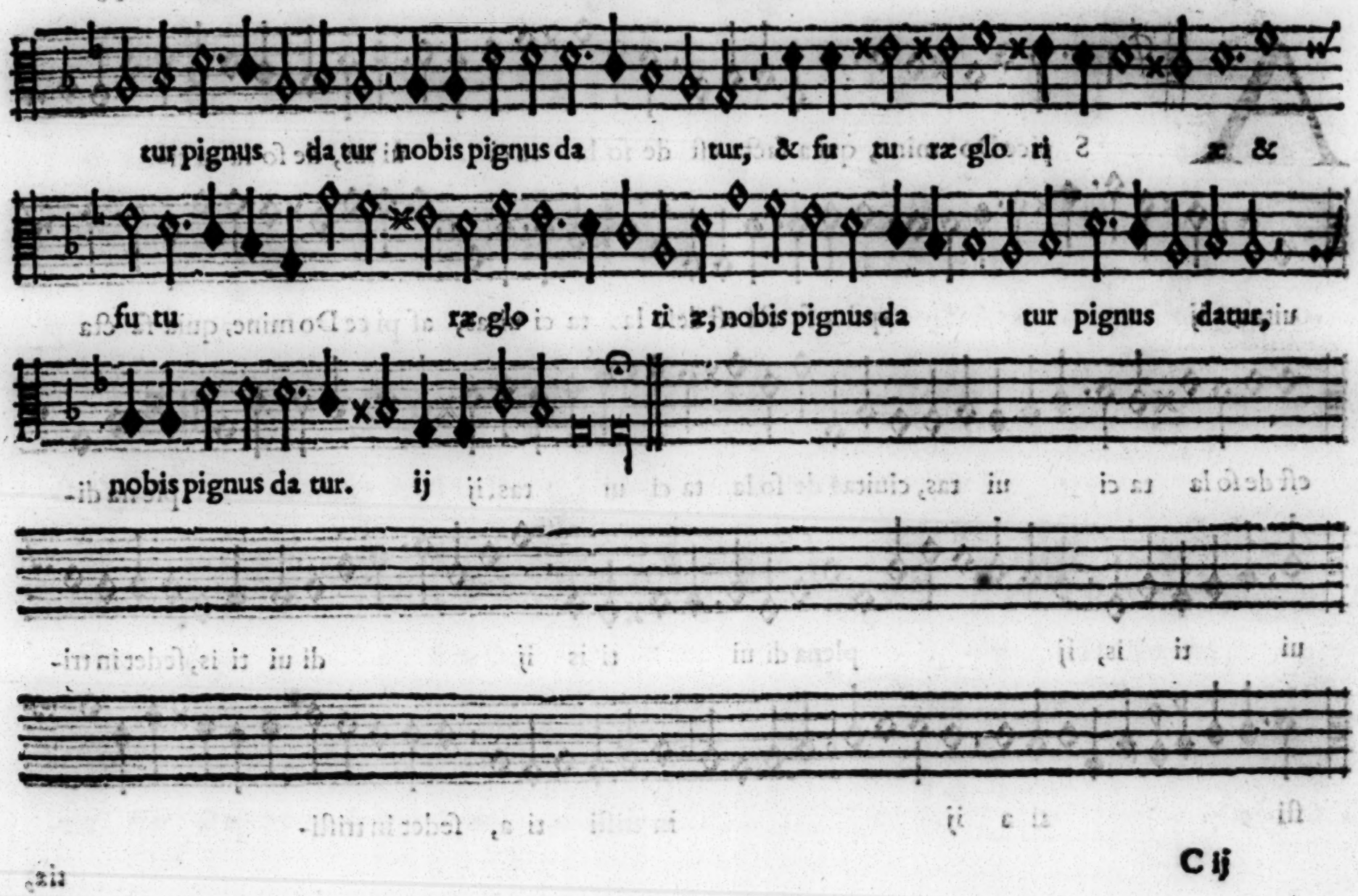

Peccantẽ me quoti di e ij peccantem
me quo ti di e & nõ me pœnitẽ tẽ pœniten tem, ij & nõ me pœ-
ni tentẽm pœniten tem, timor mortis cõtur bat me: timor
mor-

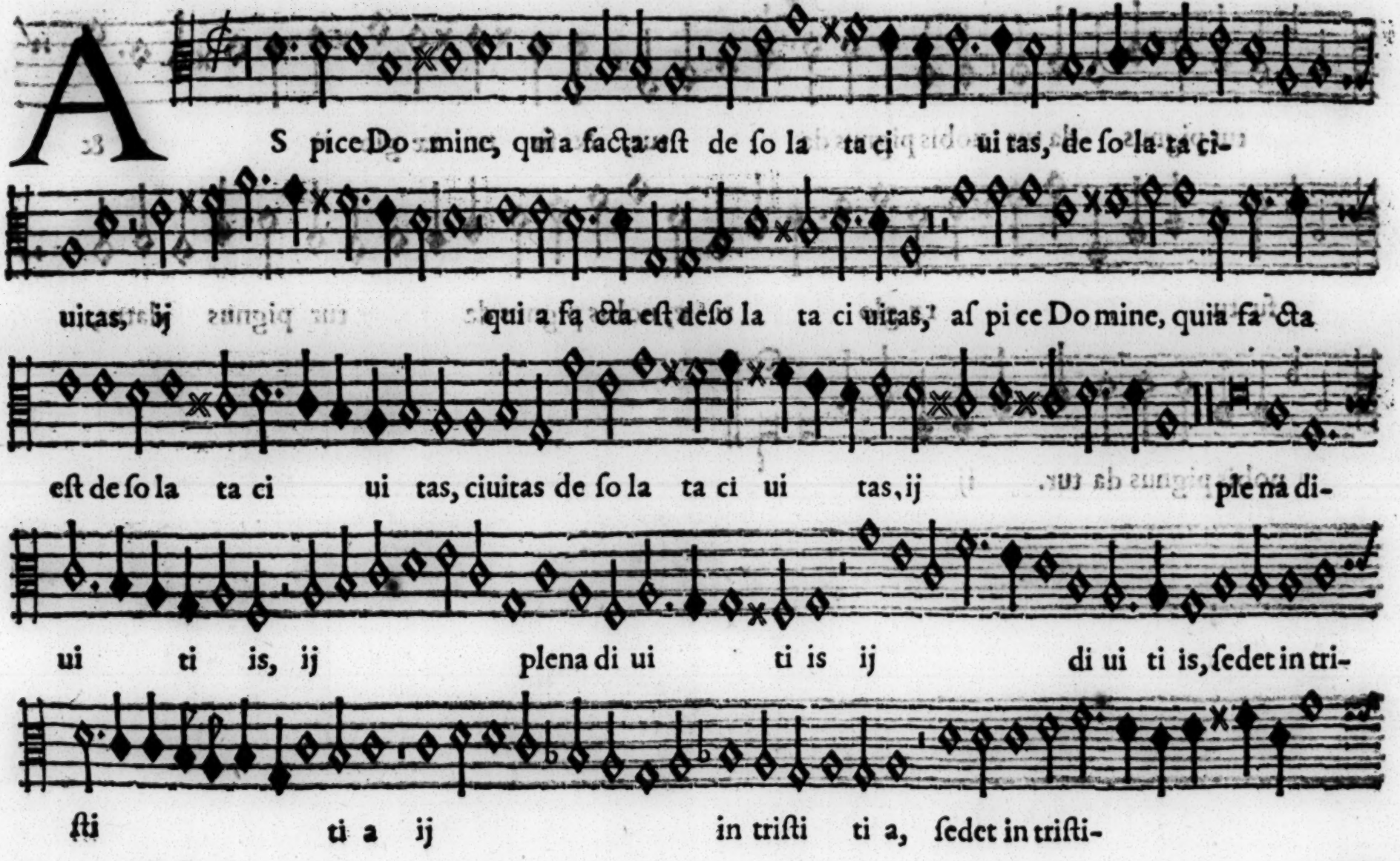

mor tis timor mórtis cõtũr bat me, ij cõturbat me ij timor mórtis
cõtur bat me; qui a in infer no, in in fer no nulla eſt redẽp ti-
o, quia in inferno in in fer no nulla eſt redẽp ti o, ij redẽptio
miſere re mei Deus, & ſalua me & ſalua me, ij miſerere me i Deus & ſalua me ij &
ſalua me ij miſerere mei De us, & ſalua me ij & ſal ua me & ſalua me. ij


Mi hi autẽ nimis honora ti sunt a mi ci tu i a mi ci tu i De-
us, mi hi autem nimis ho no ra ti sunt a mici tu i De us, a mi ci tu i De-
us: ij nimis confortatus est prĩ ci pa tus e o rũ, nimis cõ for-
ta tus est prĩ ci pa tus prĩ ci pa tus e o rum, e o rum, pri ci pa tus e o
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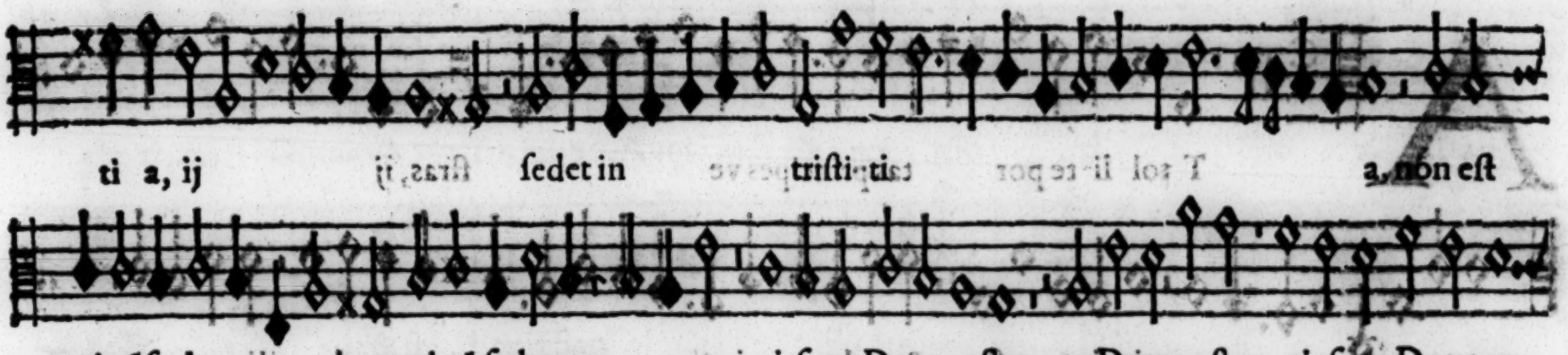

O Na ta lux de lu mi ne, Ie ſu redemptor ſe cu li dig na re cle
mens ſupplicum laudes preceſque ſumere: qui carne quódã con te gi dig na tus es pro
per di tis, nos mẽbra cõ fer ef fi ci tu i be a ti cor po ris:
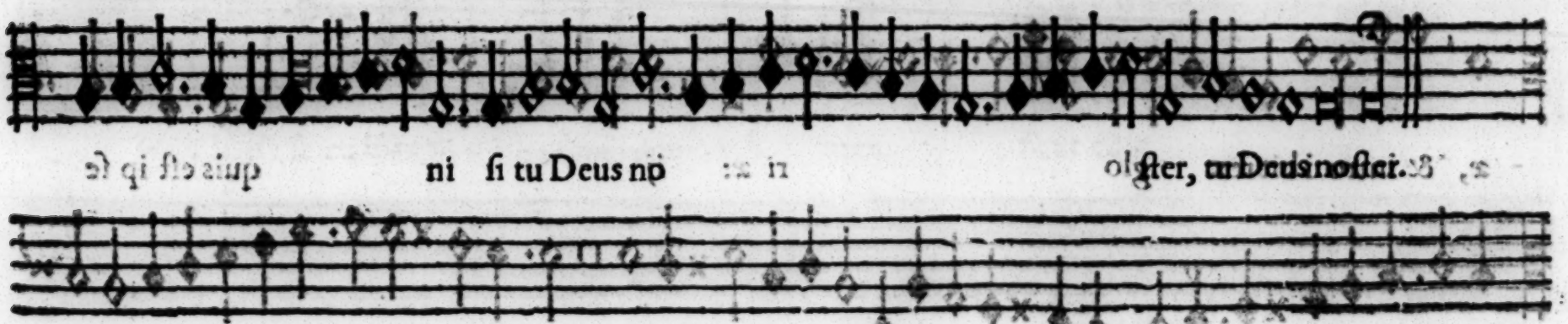

O Sacrũ conui ui um, conui ui um, ó ſacrum cõ ui ui-
um, in quo Chriſtus ſu mi tur, re co li tur memo ri a memo ri a, re-
co li tur memo ri a memo ri a paſ ſi o nis e ius, mens
impletur gra ti a impletur grati a, & fu tu ræ
glo ri æ & fu tu ræ glo ri æ, nobis pignus da-

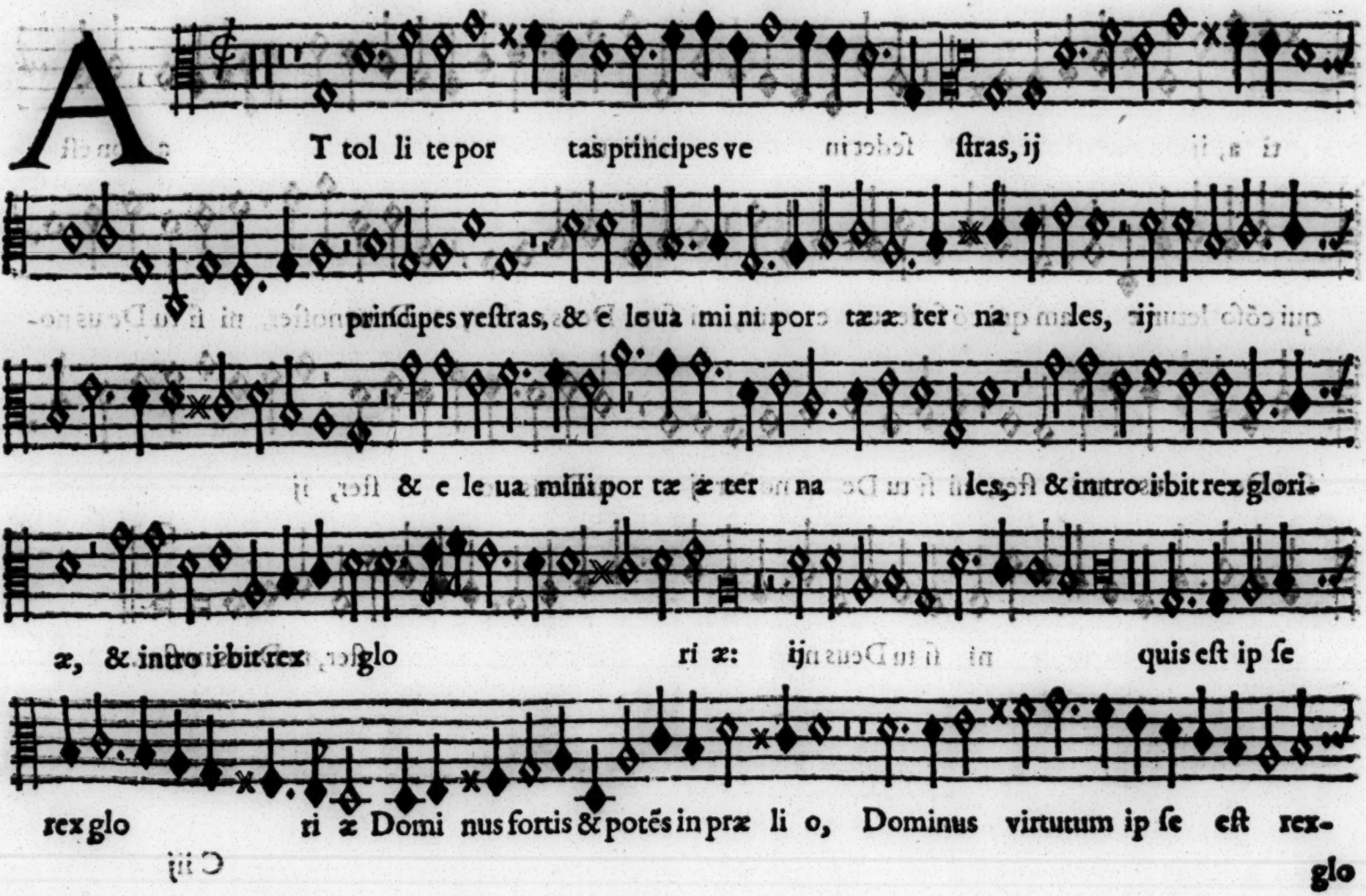

tur pignus da tur nobis pignus da tur, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ, nobis pignus da tur pignus datur, nobis pignus da tur. ij
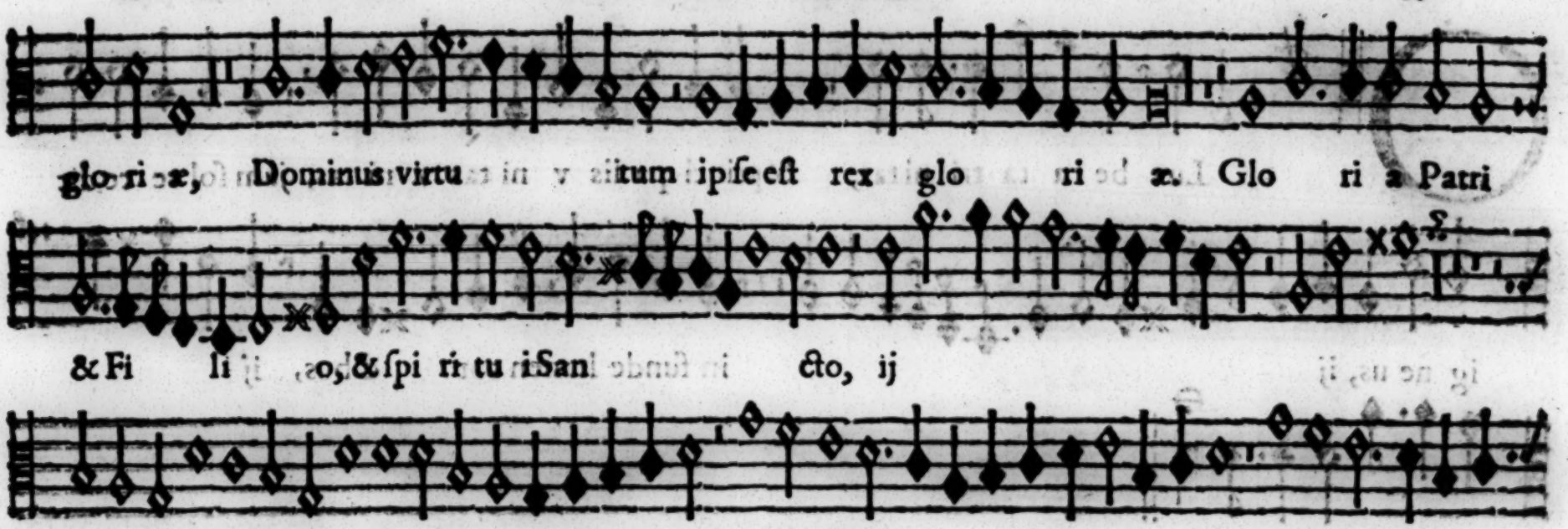

A S pice Do mine, qui a facta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, de ſo la ta ci-
uitas, ij qui a fa cta eſt deſo la ta ci uitas, aſ pi ce Do mine, quia fa cta
eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, ciuitas de ſo la ta ci ui tas, ij ple na di-
ui ti is, ij plena di ui ti is ij di ui ti is, ſedet in tri-
ſti ti a ij in triſti ti a, ſedet in triſti-
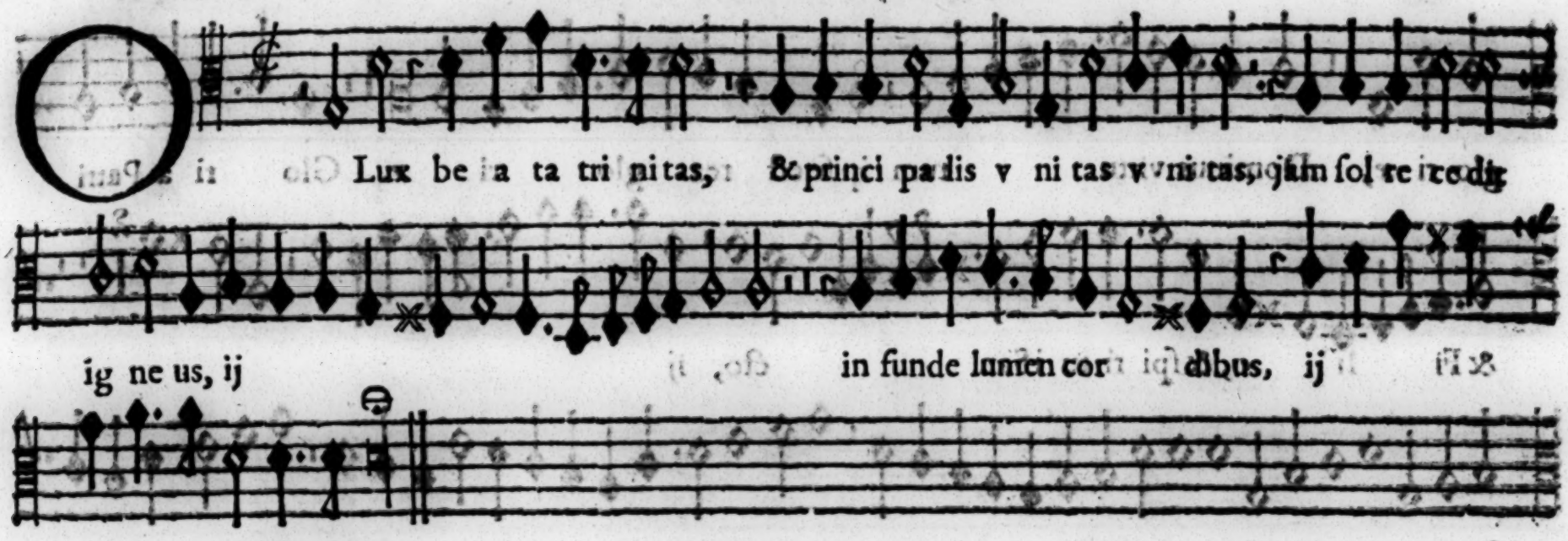
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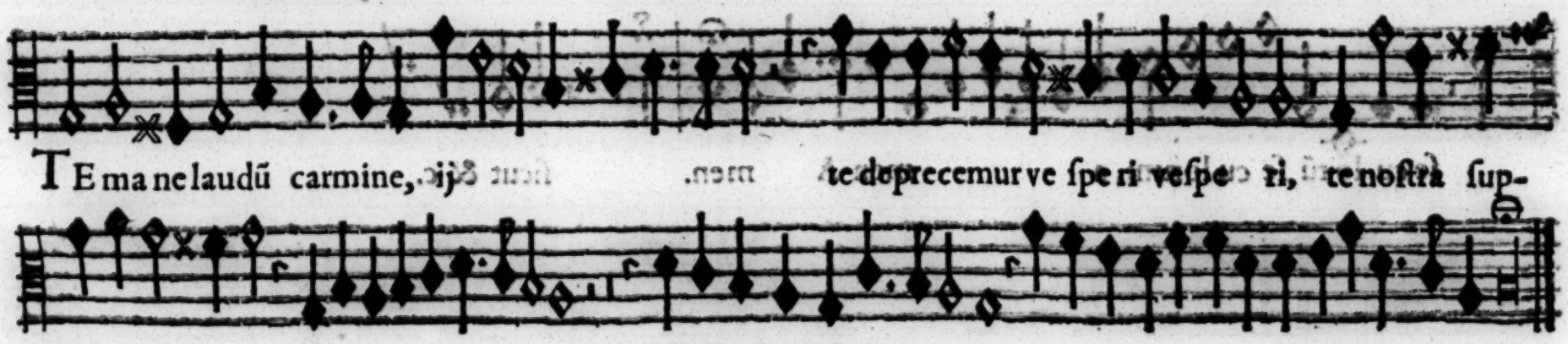

ti a, ij
ſedet in
triſti-
tia, non eſt
qui cõſo letur
e-
am, ni ſi tu Deus noſter,
tu Deus noſter, ni ſi tu De us no-
ſter De-
us noſter, ni ſi tu De us noſter, ij
qui Deus no-
ſter, ij


ni ſi tu Deus no-
ſter, tu Deus noſter.
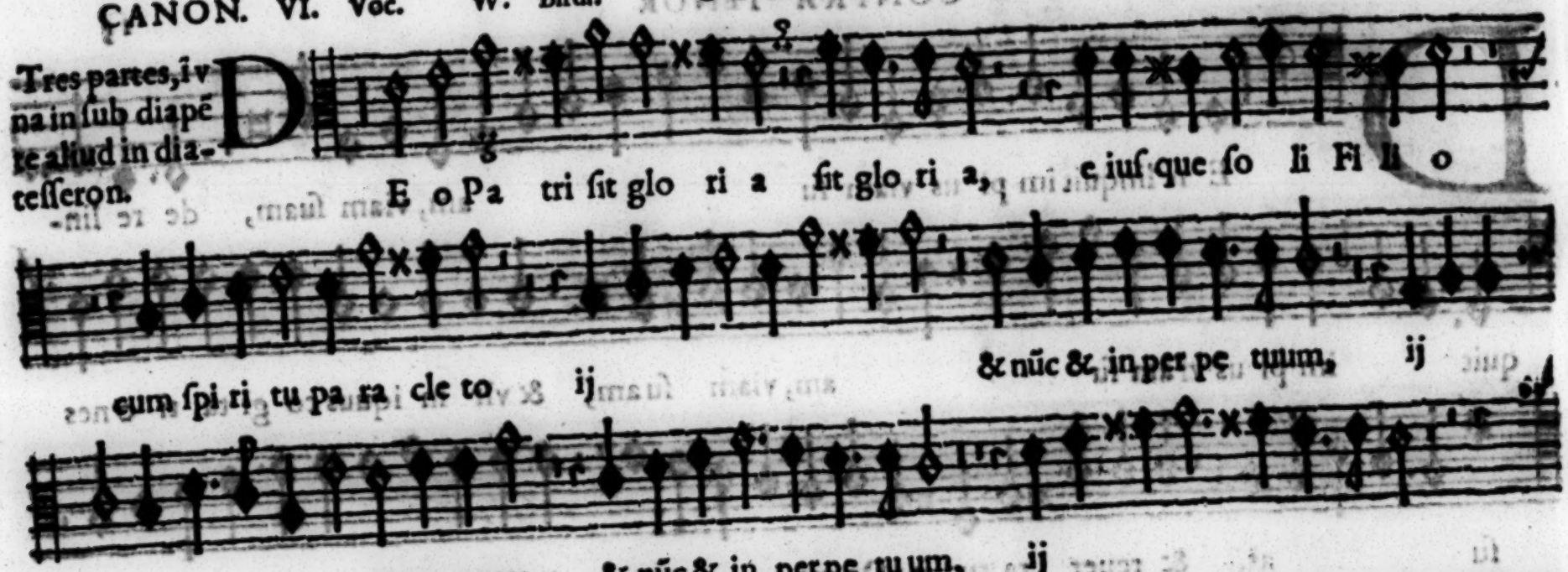

A T tol li te por tas principes ve ſtras, ij
principes veſtras, & e le ua mi ni por tæ ter na les, ij
& e le ua mini por tæ ter na les, & introibit rex glori-
æ, & introibit rex glo ri æ: ij quis eſt ip ſe
rex glo ri æ Domi nus fortis & potẽs in præ li o, Dominus virtutum ip ſe eſt rex-
glo


glo ri æ, Dominus virtu tum ipſe eſt rex glo ri æ. Glo ri a Patri
& Fi li o, & ſpi ri tu i San cto, ij
ſicut e rat in prĩ ci pi o & nũc & sẽ per & nũc & ſem per, & in ſe cu la
ſe cu lo rũ ſe cu lorum. a men A men. ſicut &c.

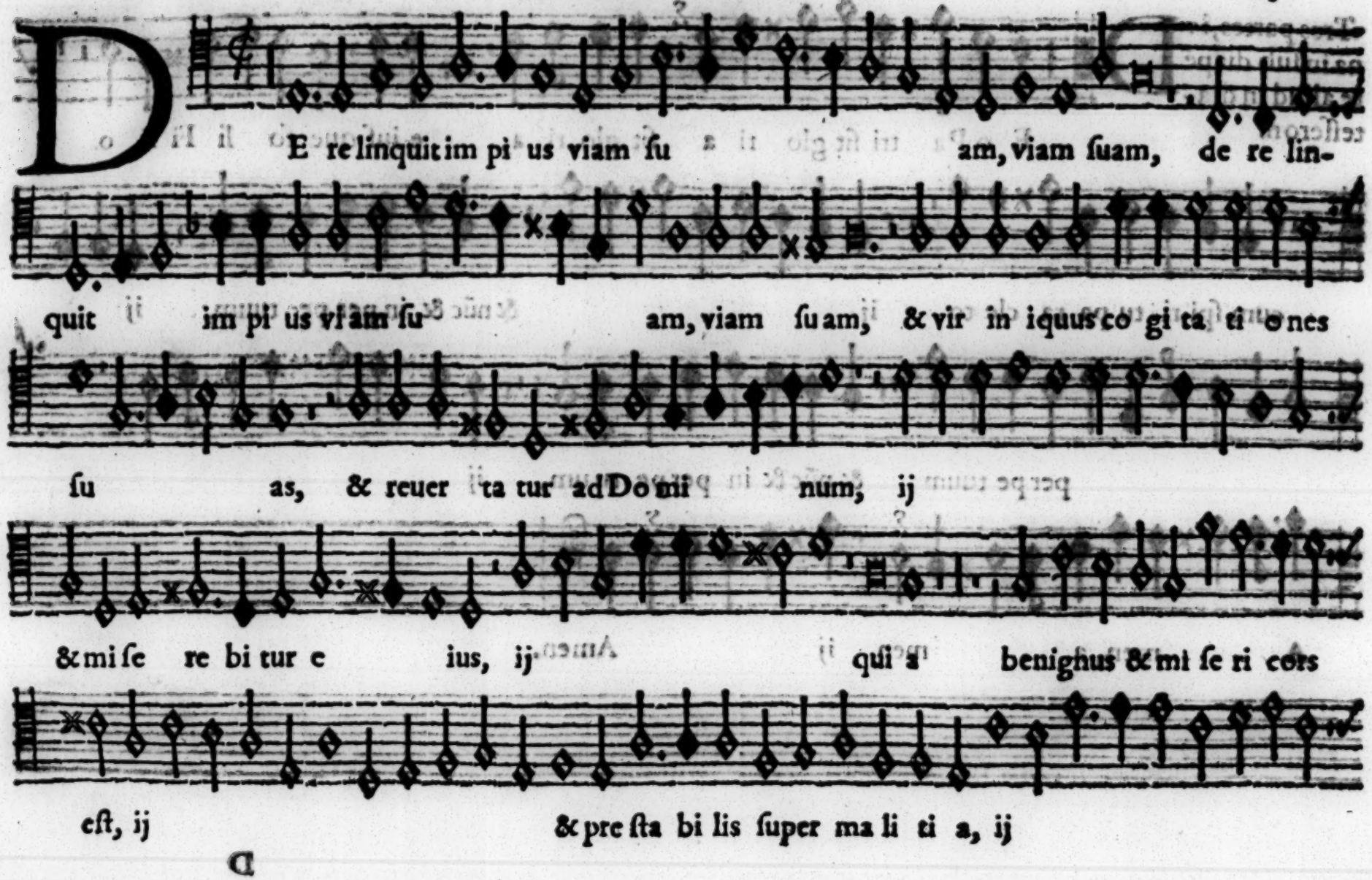

O Lux be a ta tri ni tas, & princi pa lis v ni tas, vnitas, jam sol re it redit
ig ne us, ij in funde lumen cor dibus, ij
cor di bus.
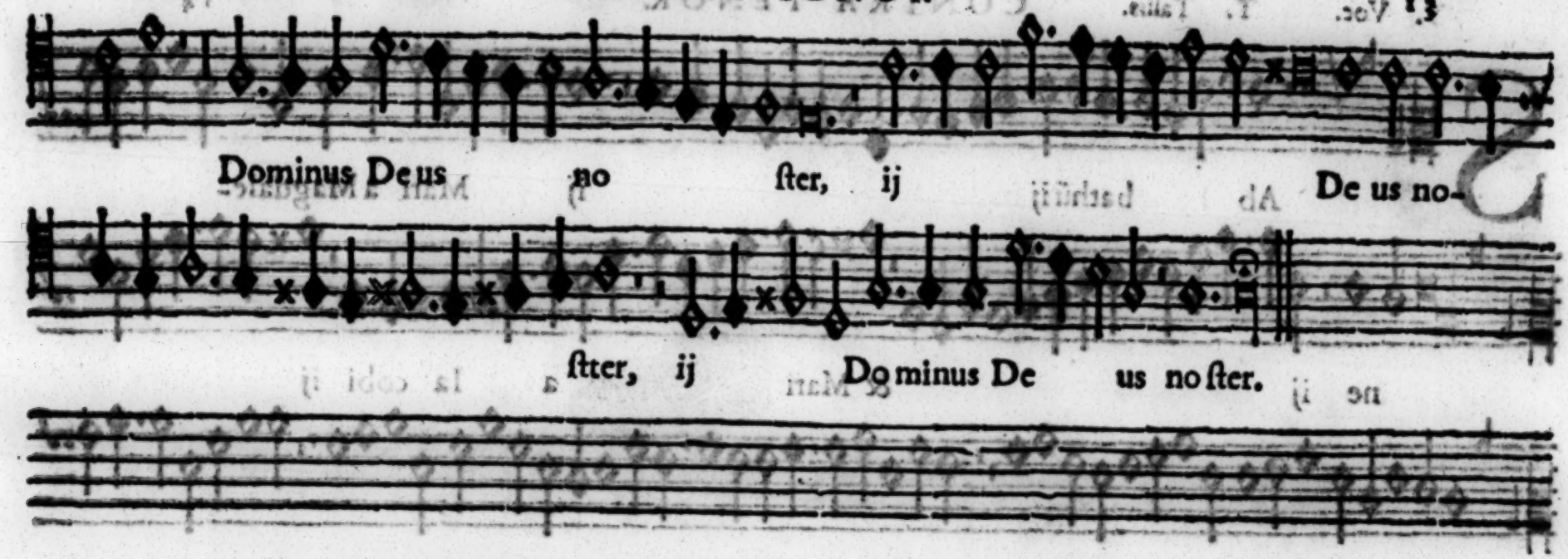

TE ma ne laudũ carmine, te deprecemur ve speri ve speri, te nostra sup-
plex glori a, ij per cũcta laudet se cu la, ij se cu la.

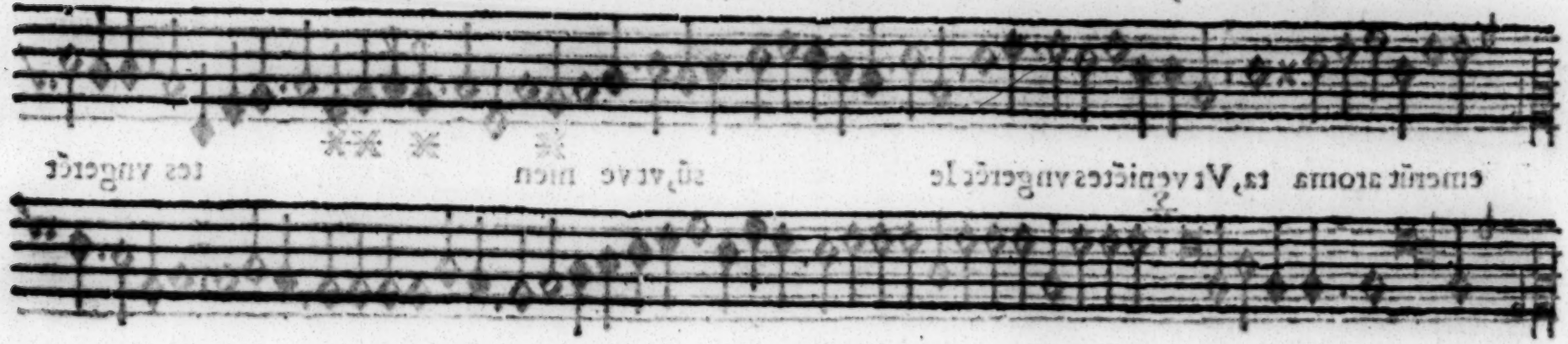
Tres partes, i v
na in ſub diapē
te aliud in dia-
teſſeron.




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De re linquit im pi us viam ſu am, viam ſuam, de re lin-
quit im pi us vi am ſu am, viam ſuam, & vir in iquus co gi ta ti ones
ſu as, & reuer ta tur ad Do mi num, ij
& mi ſe re bi tur e ius, ij qui a benighus & mi ſe ri cors
eſt, ij & pre ſta bi lis ſuper ma li ti a, ij


Dominus Deus noſter, ij
De us no-
ſter, ij
Dominus De us noſter.



S Ab bathū ij ij Mari a Magdale-

ne ij & Mari a Ia cobi ij

Iaco bi &Salome ij emerūt aromata, ij emerūt aromata ij

emerūt aroma ta, Vt veniētes vngerēt Ie sū, vt ve nien tes vngerēt

Ie sū, ij Alleluya. ij Alleluy a, Alleluy a. ij
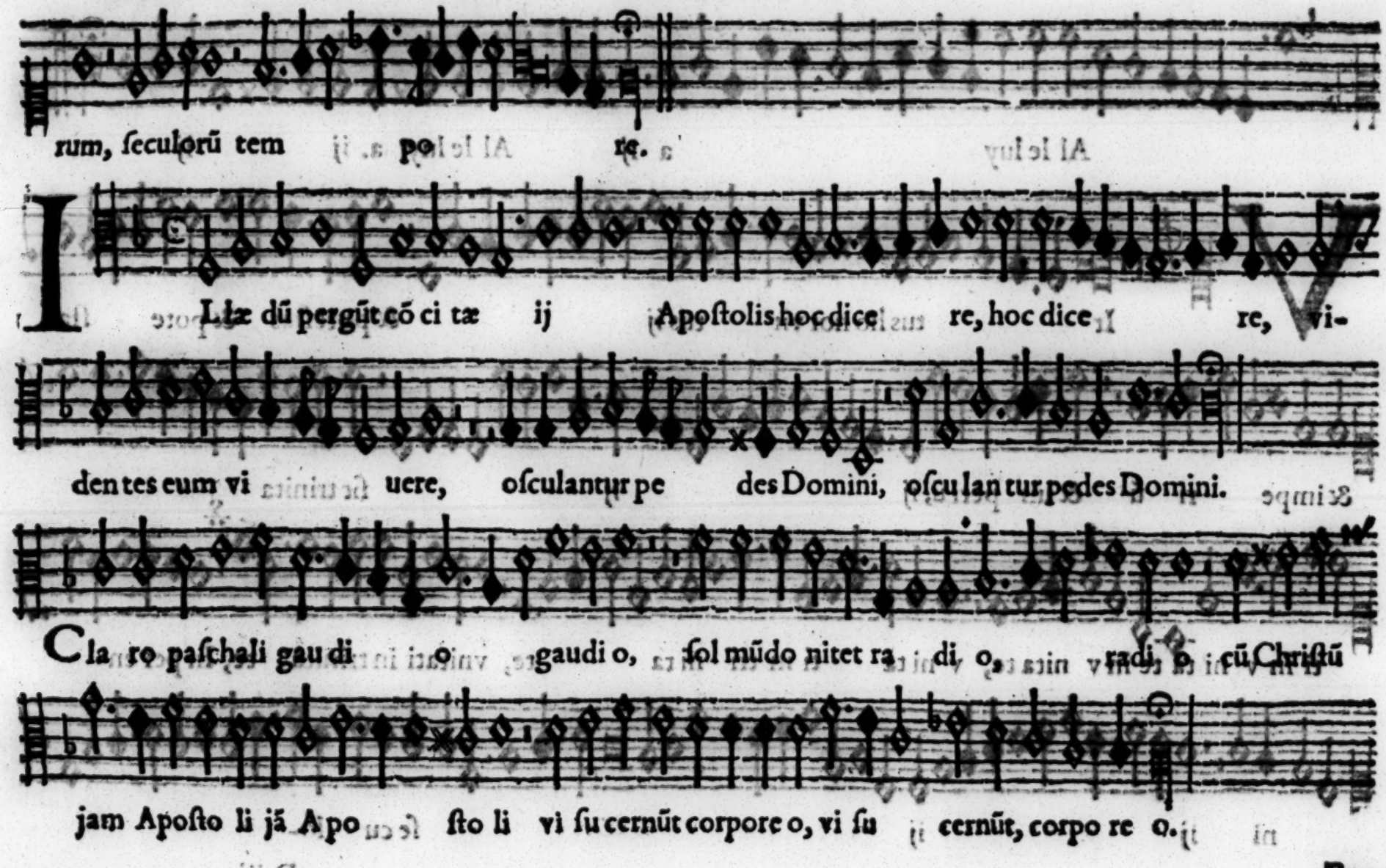
Al le luy a ij Al le luy a. ij

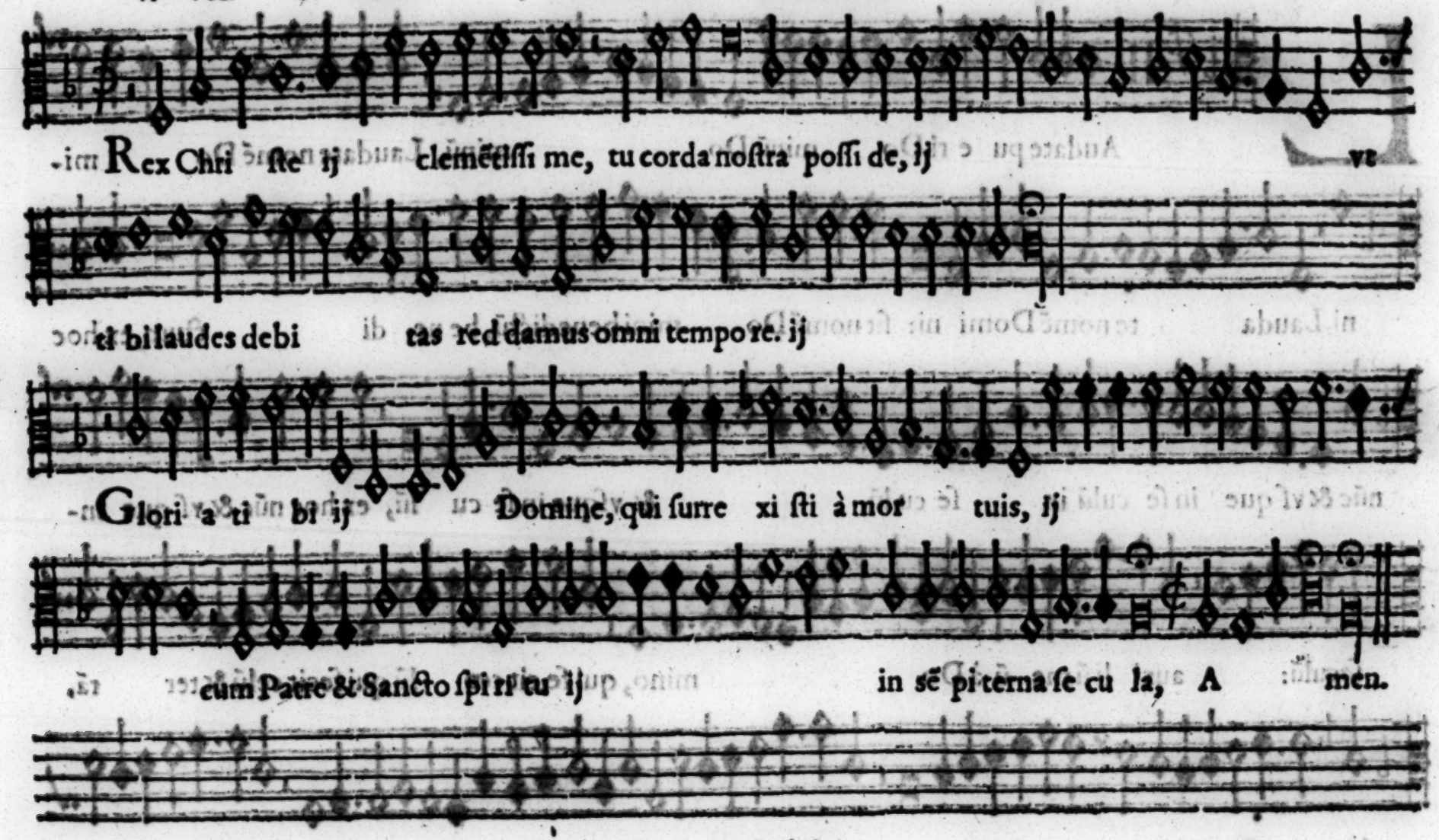
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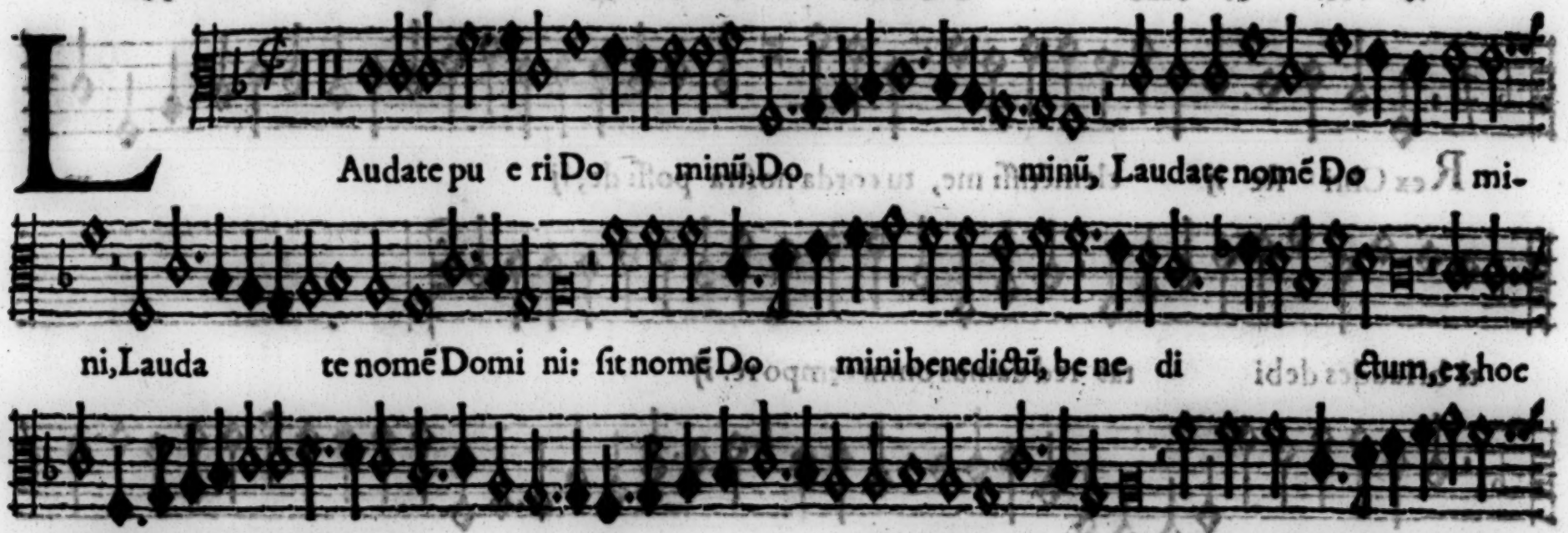
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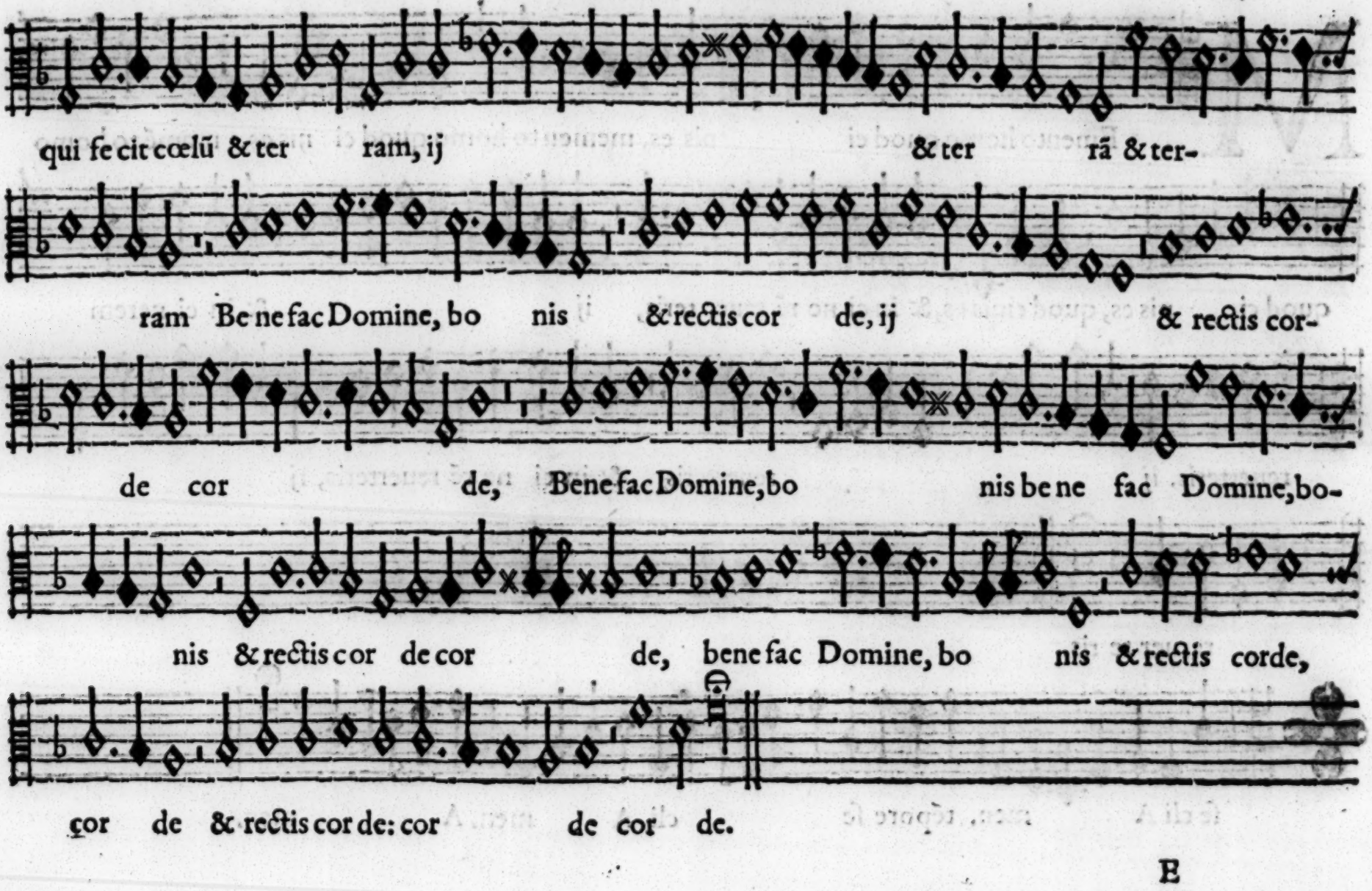
ti in v ni ta te in v nita te, v ni ta ti in tri ni ta te, vnitati in trinita te, In per en-
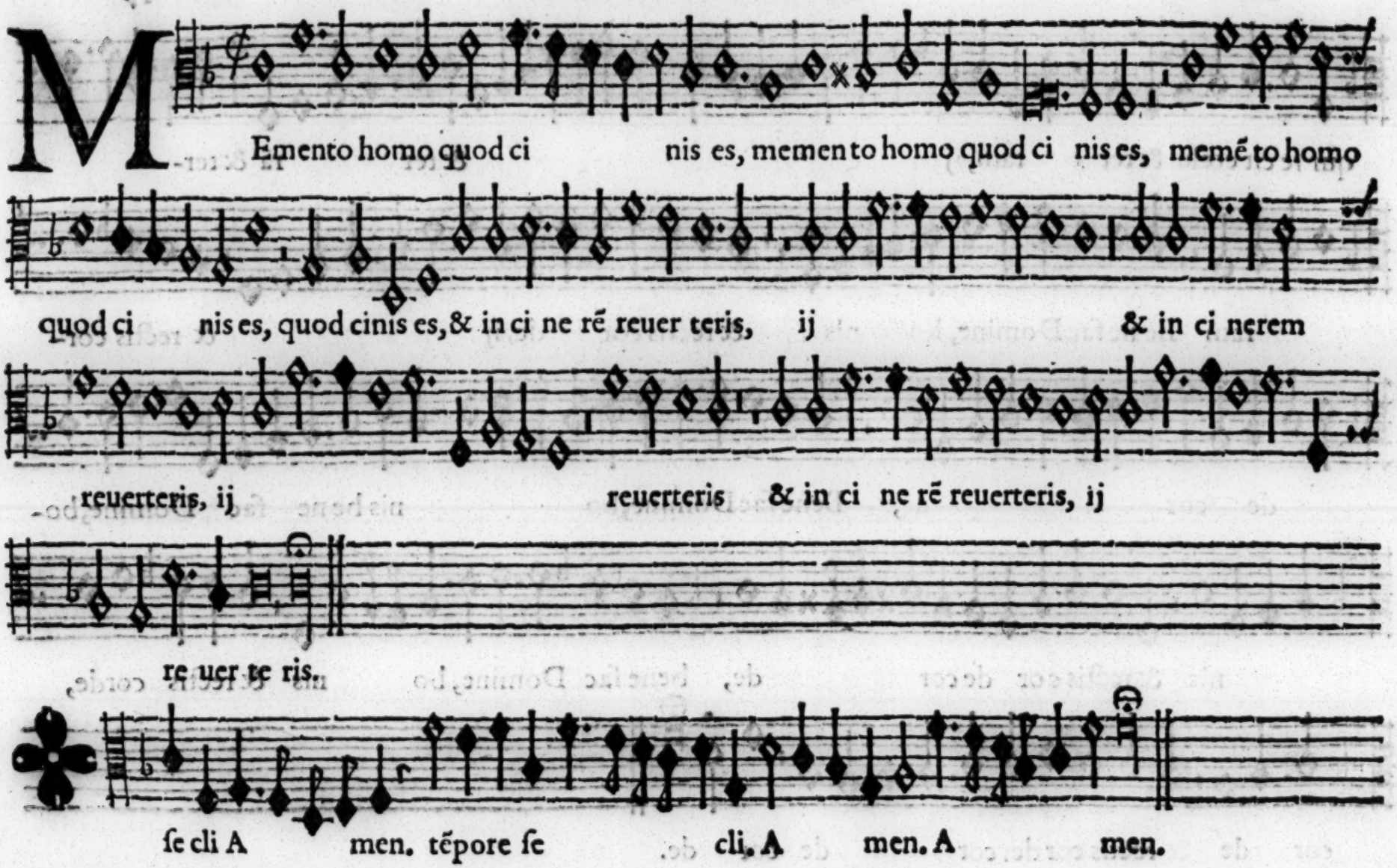
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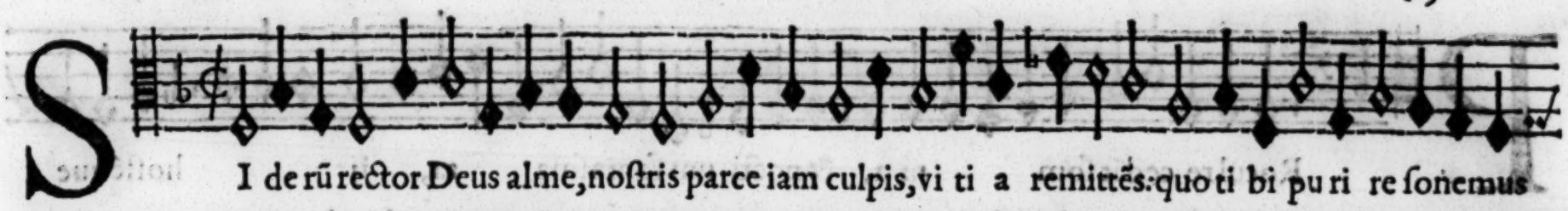

rum, ſeculorũ tem po re.
Llæ dũ pergũt eõ ci tæ ij Apoſtolis hoc dice re, hoc dice re, vi-
den tes eum vi uere, oſculantur pe des Domini, oſculantur pedes Domini.
Cla ro paſchali gau di o gaudi o, ſol mũdo nitet ra di o, radi o, cũ Chriſtũ
jam Apoſto li jã Apo ſto li vi ſu cernũt corpore o, vi ſu cernũt, corpo re o.


-im Rex Chri ſte ij clemẽtiſſi me, tu corda noſtra poſſi de, ij ve
et bi laudes debi tas red damus omni tempo re. ij
-Glori a ti bi ij Domine, qui ſurre xi ſti à mor tuis, ij
cum Patre & Sancto ſpi ri tu ij in sẽ pi terna ſe cu la, A men.


Laudate pueri Dominũ, Dominũ, Laudate nomẽ Dominiũ, Laudate nomẽ Domini: sit nomẽ Dominibenedictũ, benedictum, ex hoc nũc & vsque in seculũ in seculũ, & vsque in seculũ, ex hoc nũc & vsque in-
seculũ: A auxi liũme ũ à Dominio, qui fecit cœlũ qui fecit cœlũ & ter rã,
ij au xi liũme ũ, à Dominio, qui fecit cœlũ,
qui


qui fecit cœlũ & ter ram, ij & ter rã & ter-
ram Bene fac Domine, bo nis & rectis cor de, ij & rectis cor-
de cor de, Bene fac Domine, bo nis be ne fac Domine, bo-
nis & rectis cor de cor de, bene fac Domine, bo nis & rectis corde,
cor de & rectis cor de: cor de cor de.
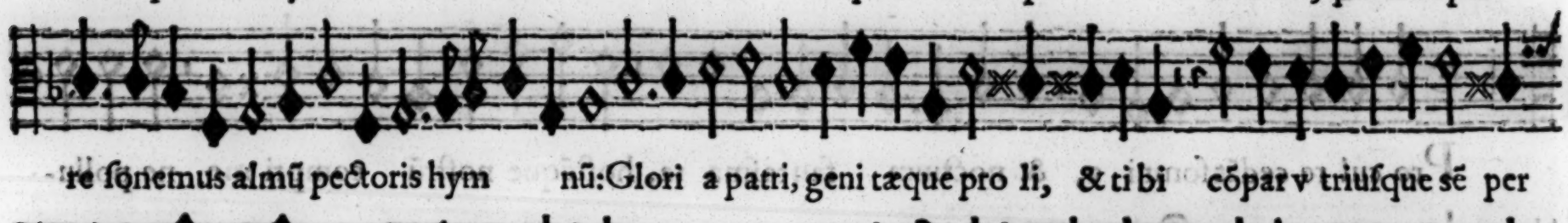

Memento homo quod ci nis es, memento homo quod ci nis es, memẽto homo
quod ci nis es, quod cinis es, & in ci ne rẽ reuer teris, ij & in ci nerem
reuerteris, ij reuerteris & in ci ne rẽ reuerteris, ij
re uer te ris.
se cli A men. tẽpore se cli. A men. A men.
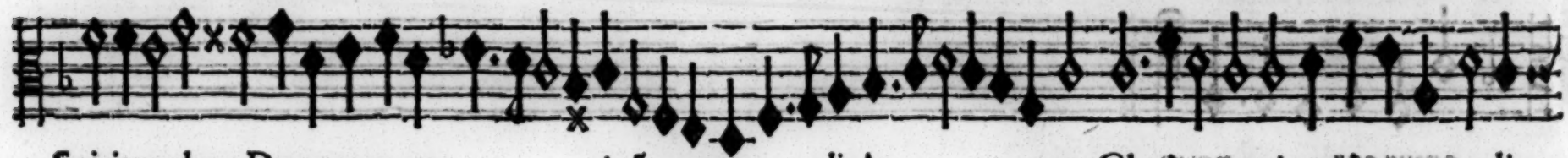


SI de rũ rector Deus alme, noſtris parce iam culpis, vi ti a remittẽs: quo ti bi pu ri re ſonemus
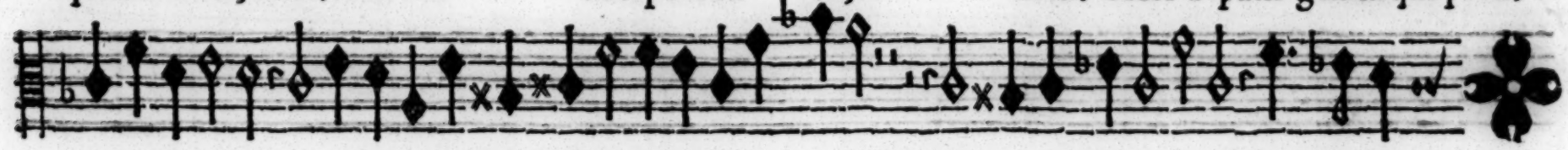


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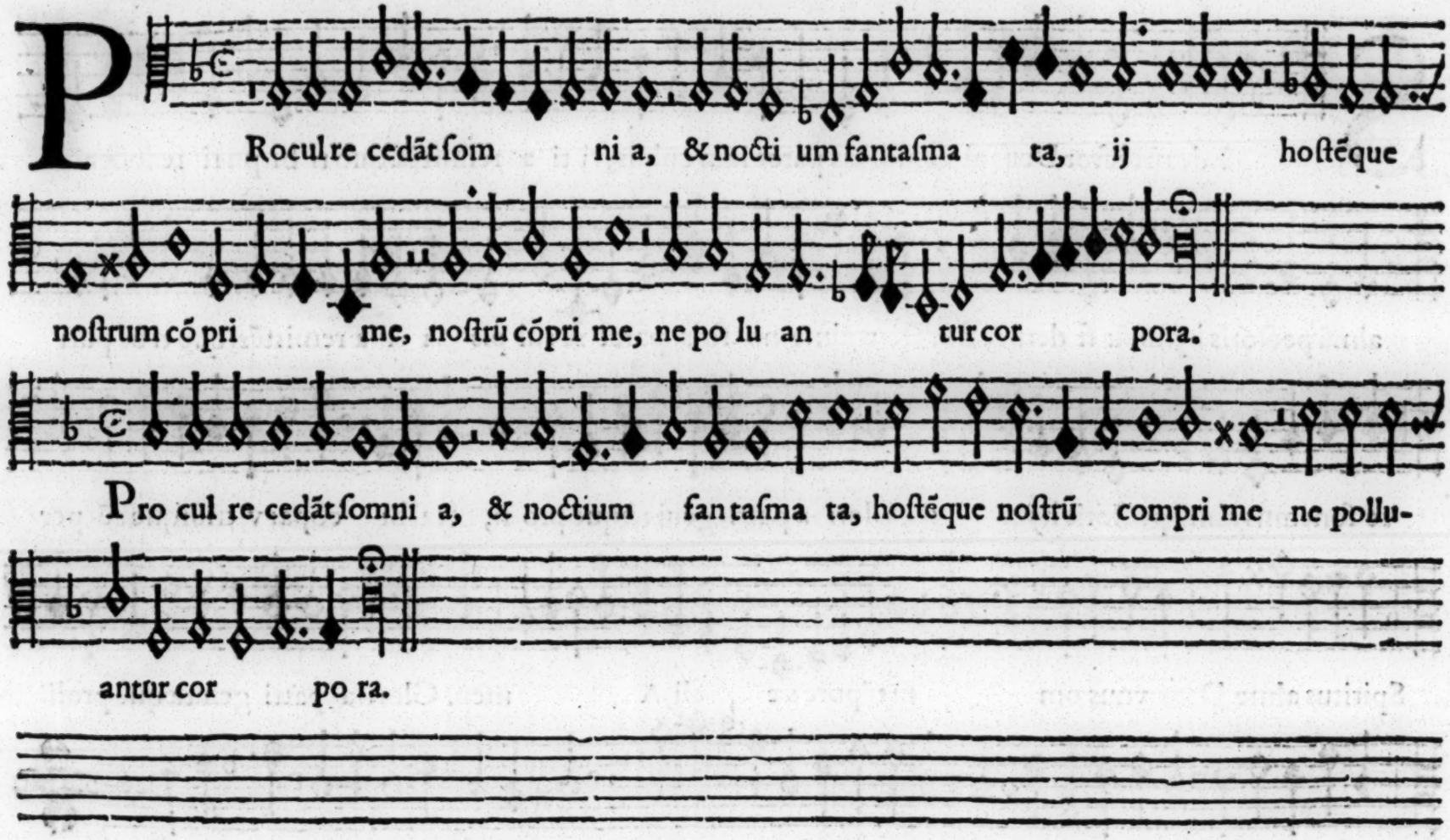


re ſonemus almũ pectoris hym nũ: Glori a patri, geni tæque pro li, & ti bi cõpar v triuſque sẽ per
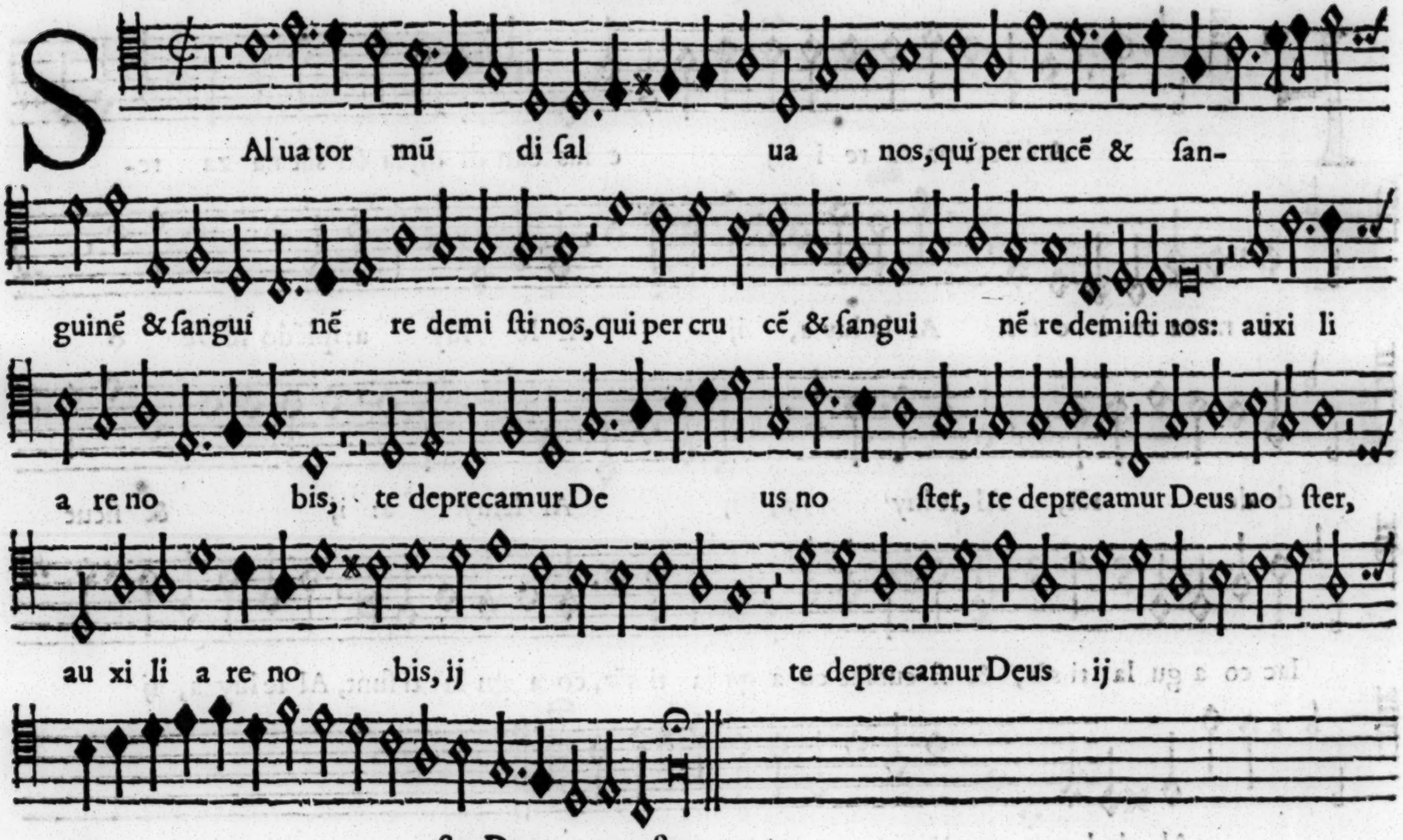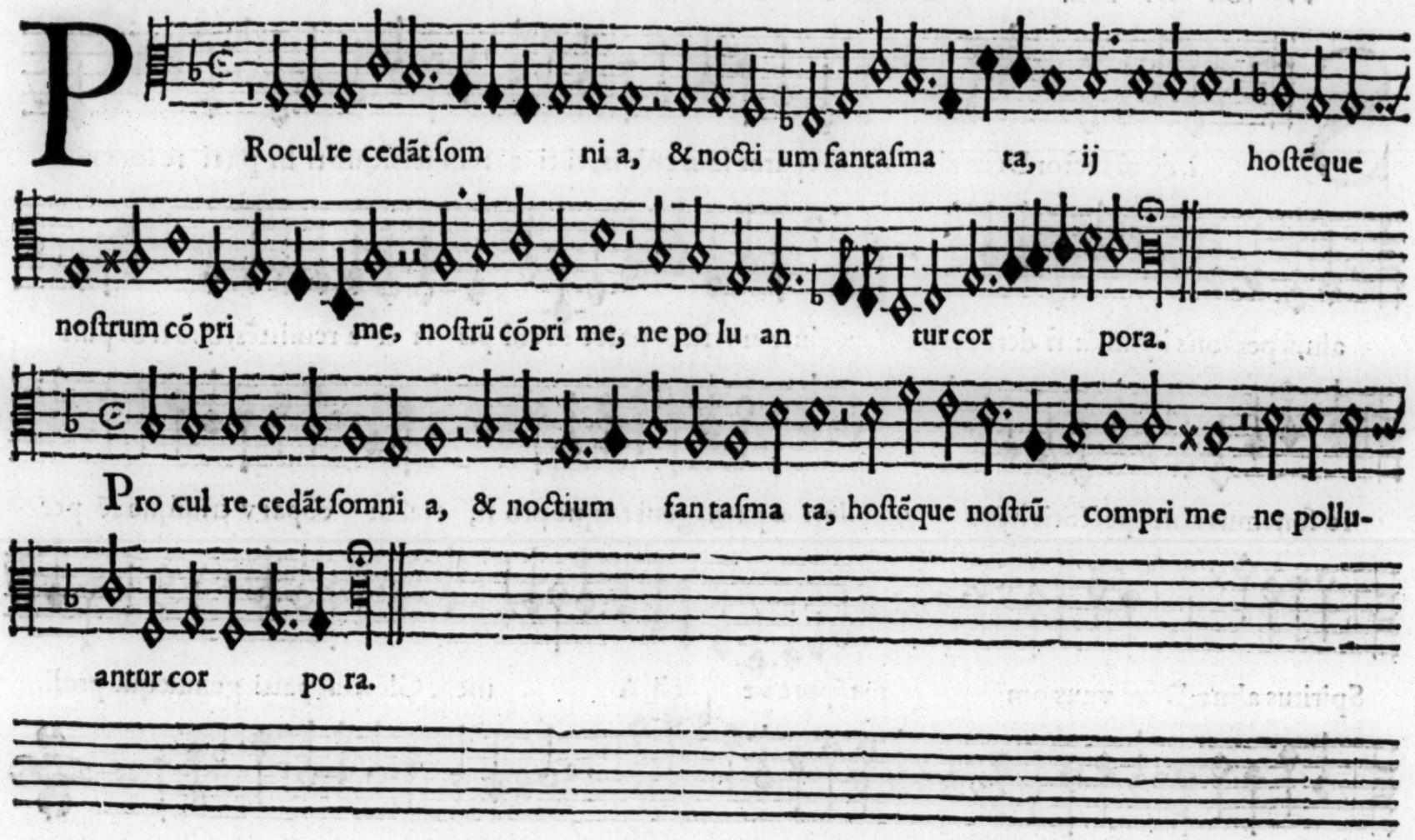


Spiritus alme, Deus, vnus om ni tẽpore sæ cli, A men. Glori a patri genitæque proli,

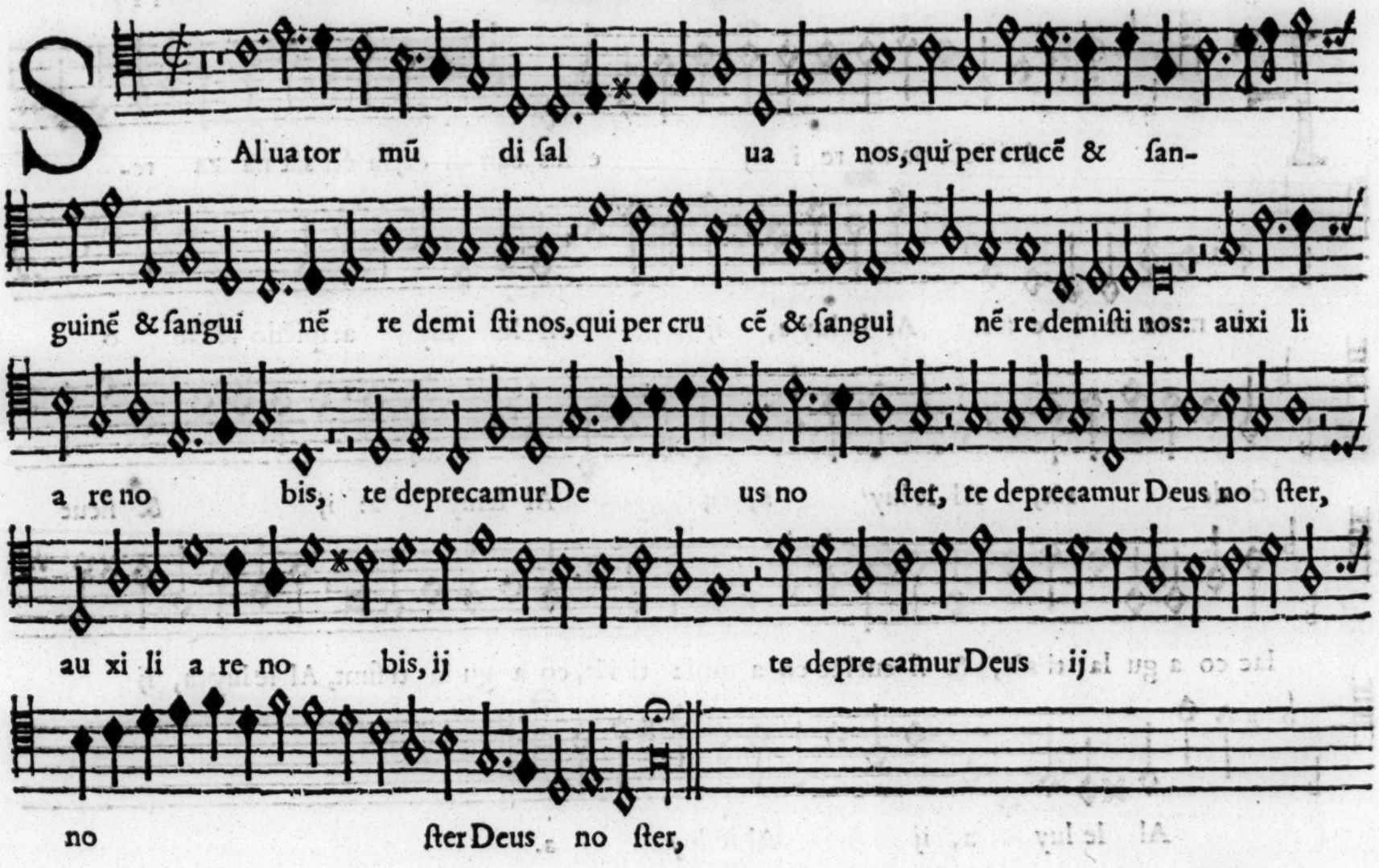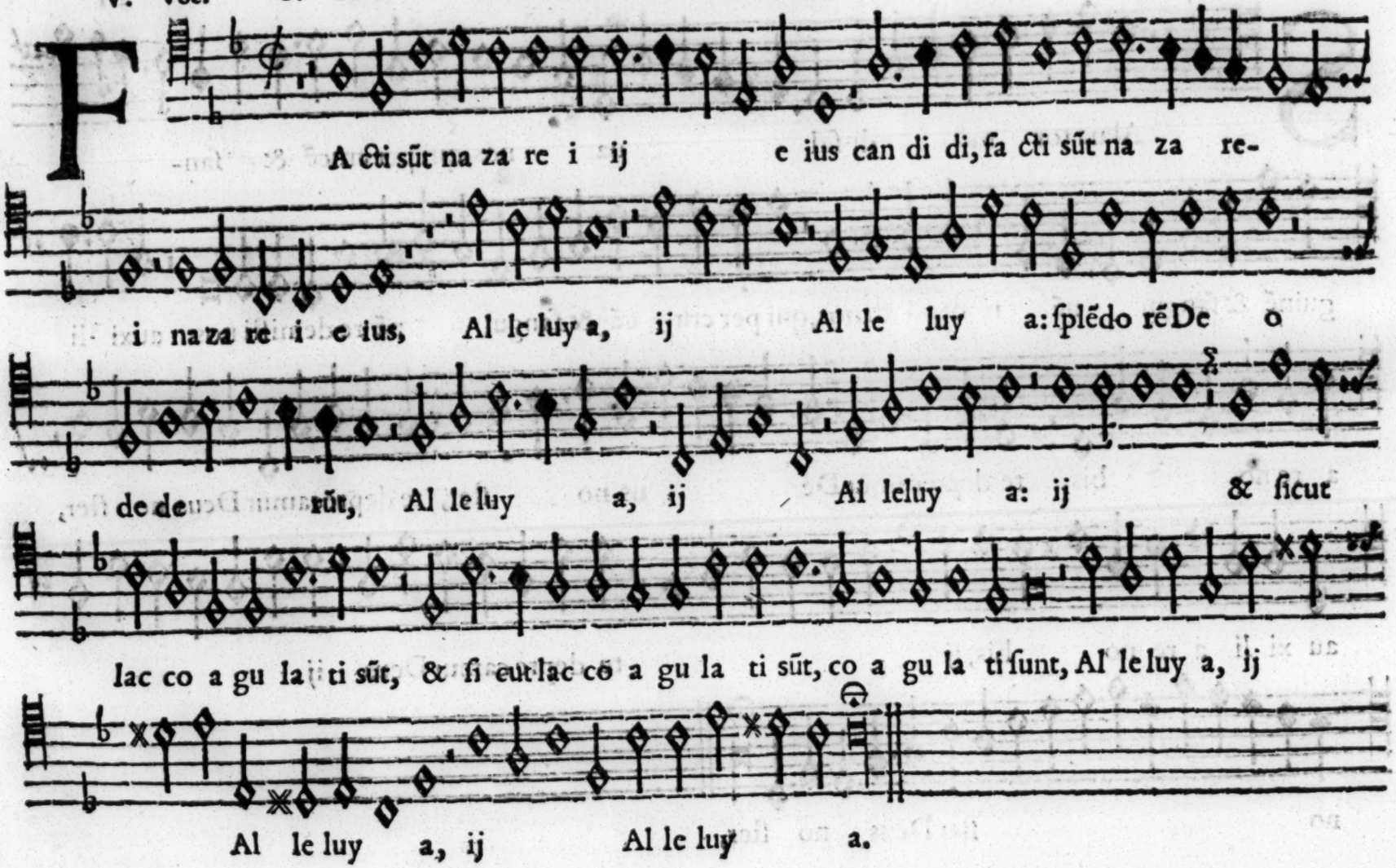


& ti bi cõpar v triuſque ſem per Spiritus al me, De us, v nus õ ni tem po re
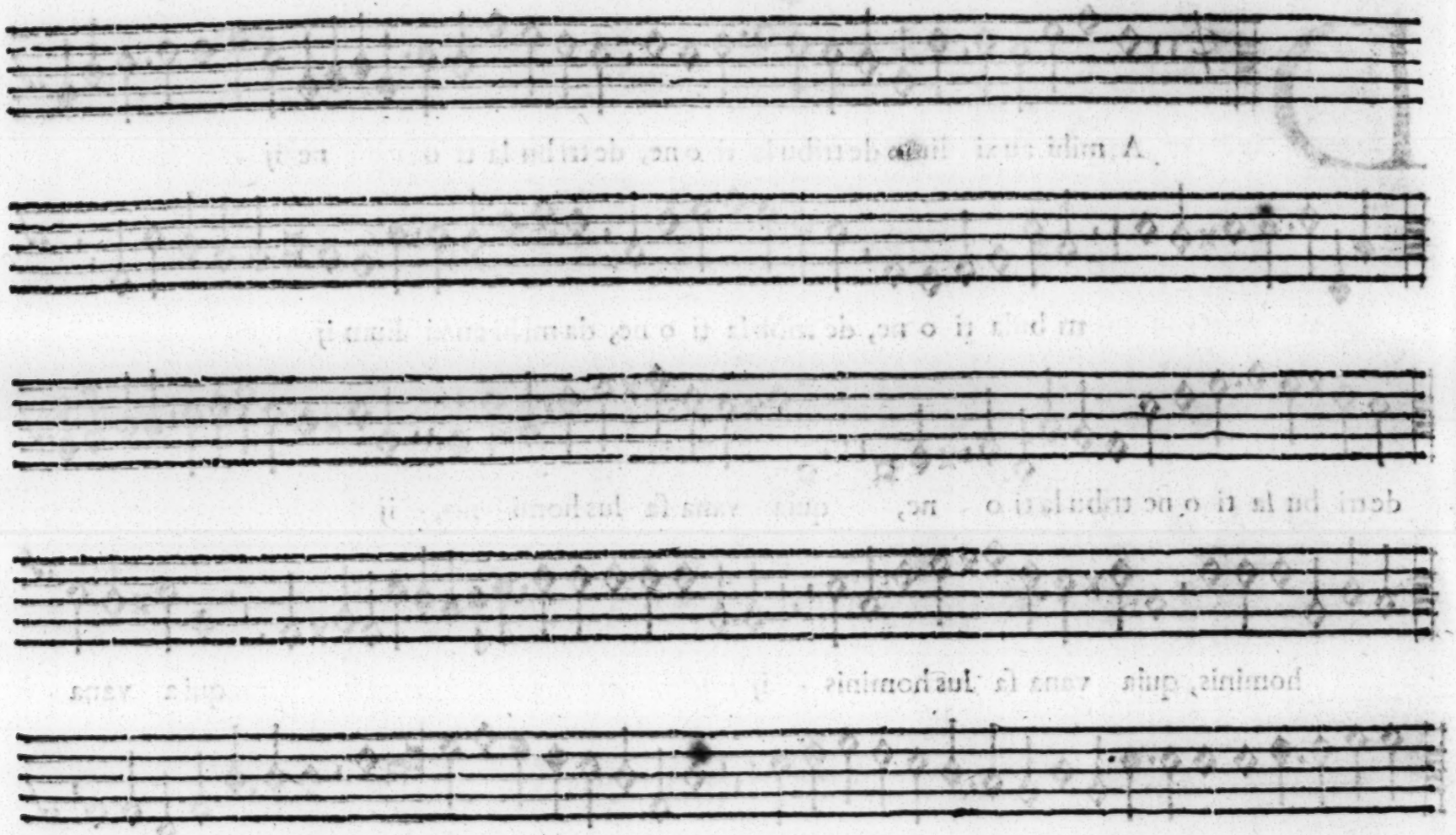

Procul re cedãt ſom ni a, & nocti um fantaſma ta, ij hoſtẽque
noſtrum cõ pri me, noſtrũ cõpri me, ne po lu an tur cor pora.
Pro cul re cedãt ſomni a, & noctium fan taſma ta, hoſtẽque noſtrũ compri me ne pollu-
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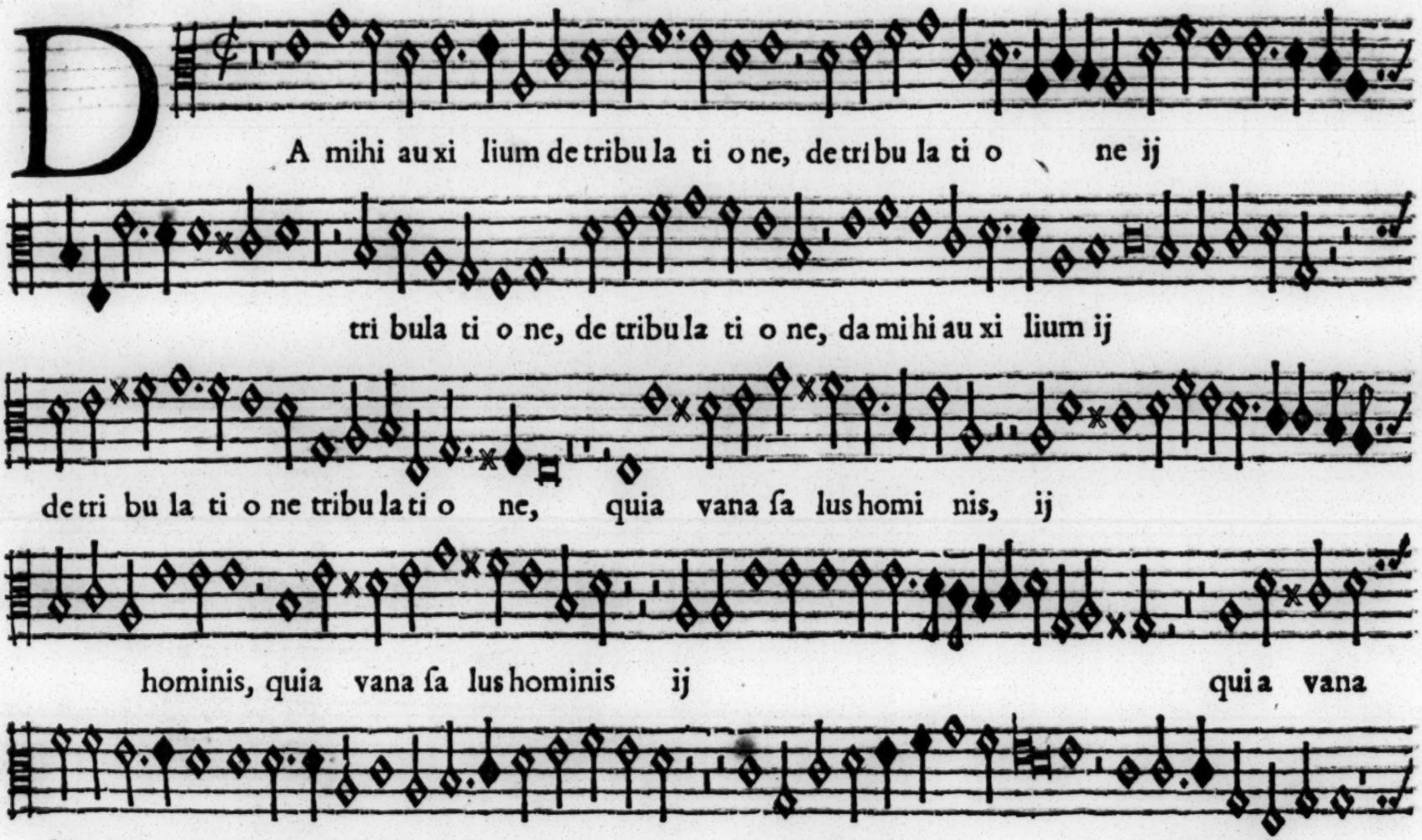

Saluator mũ di sal ua nos, qui per crucẽ & san-
guinẽ & sangui nẽ re demi sti nos, qui per cru cẽ & sangui nẽ re demisti nos: auxi li
a re no bis, te deprecamur De us no ster, te deprecamur Deus no ster,
au xi li a re no bis, ij te depre camur Deus ij
no ster Deus no ster,

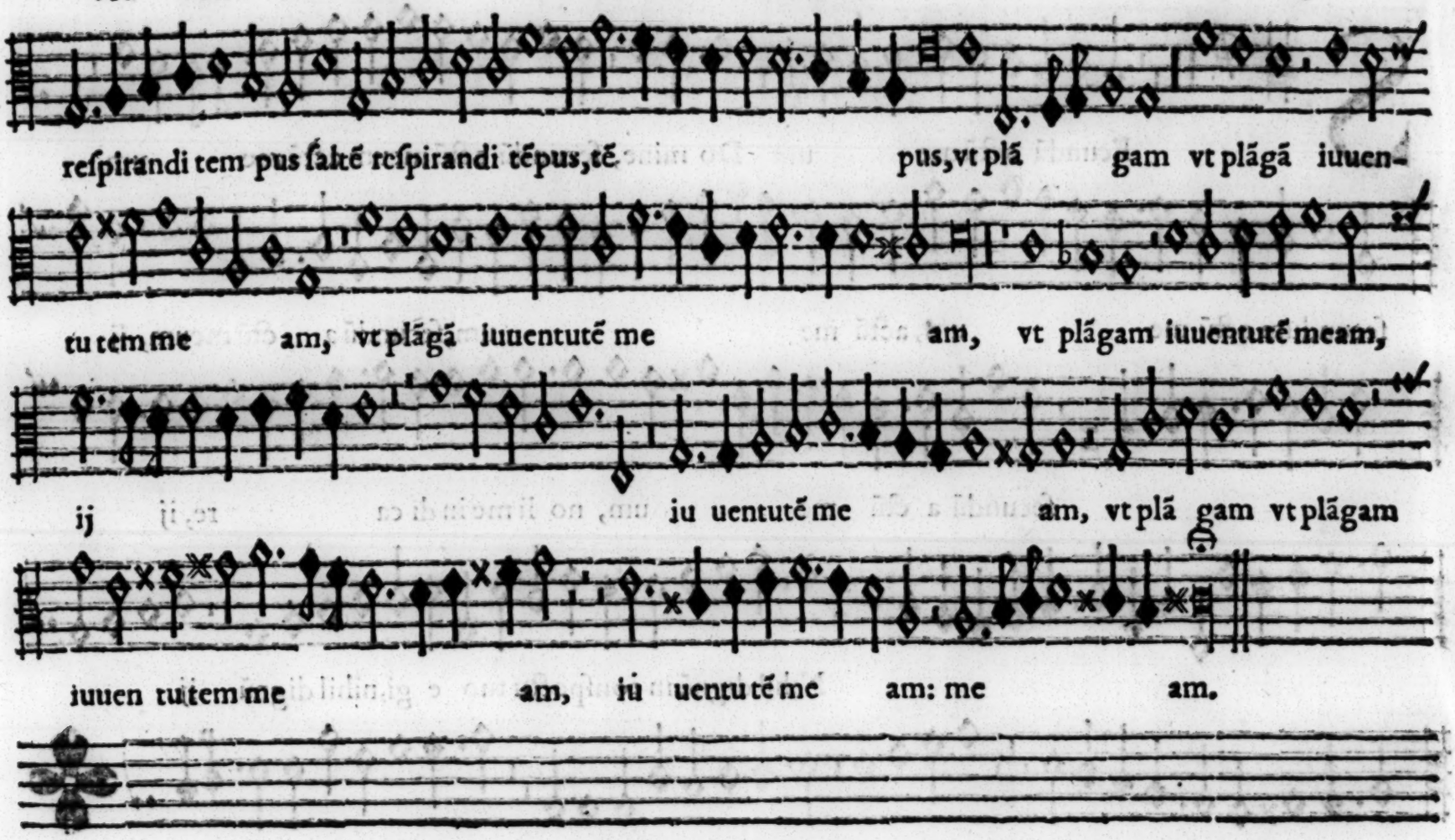

Procul recedãt somni a, & noctium fantasma ta, hostẽque nostrum cõpri me, nostrũ cõpri me, ne polluantur corpora.
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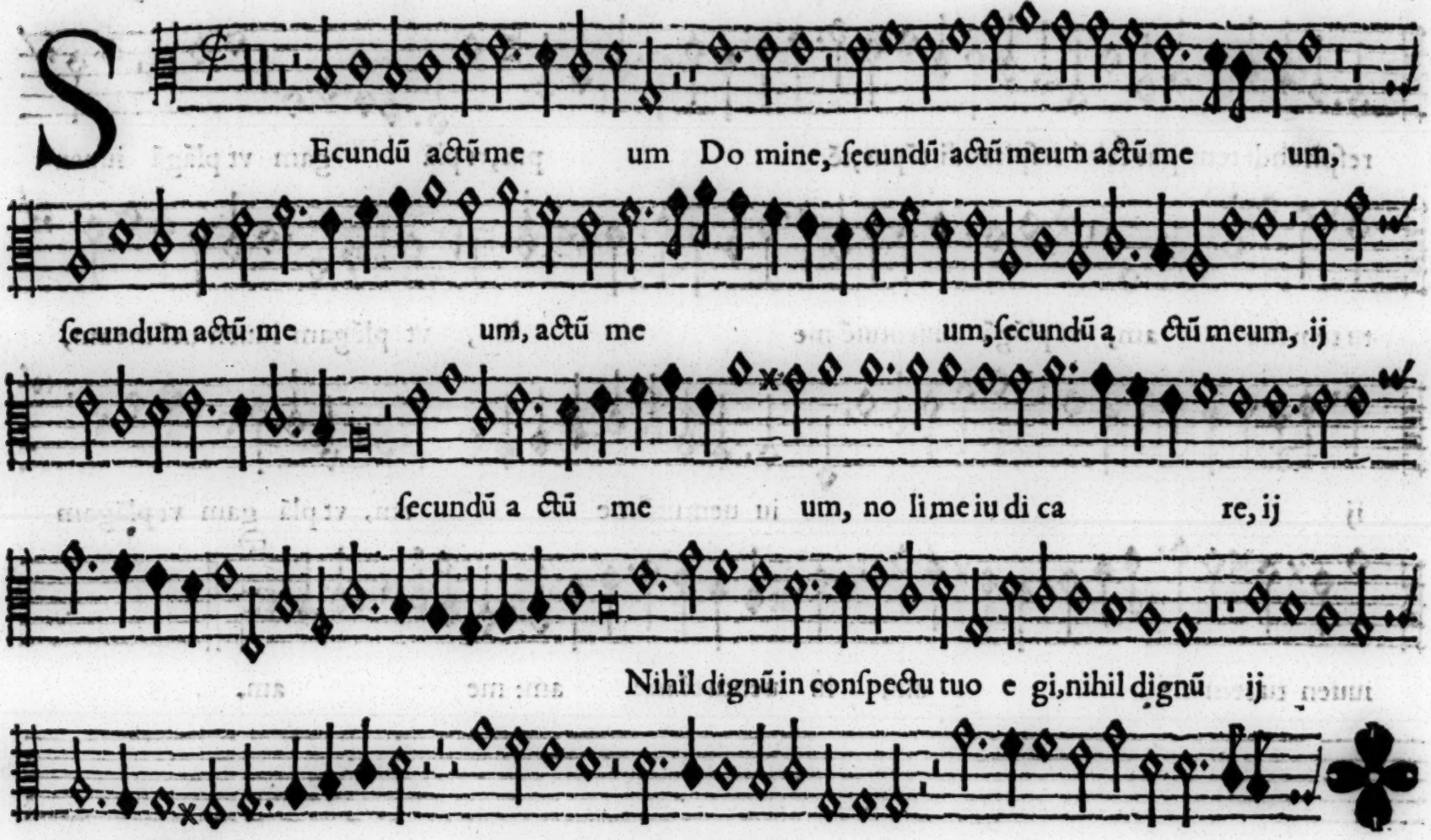

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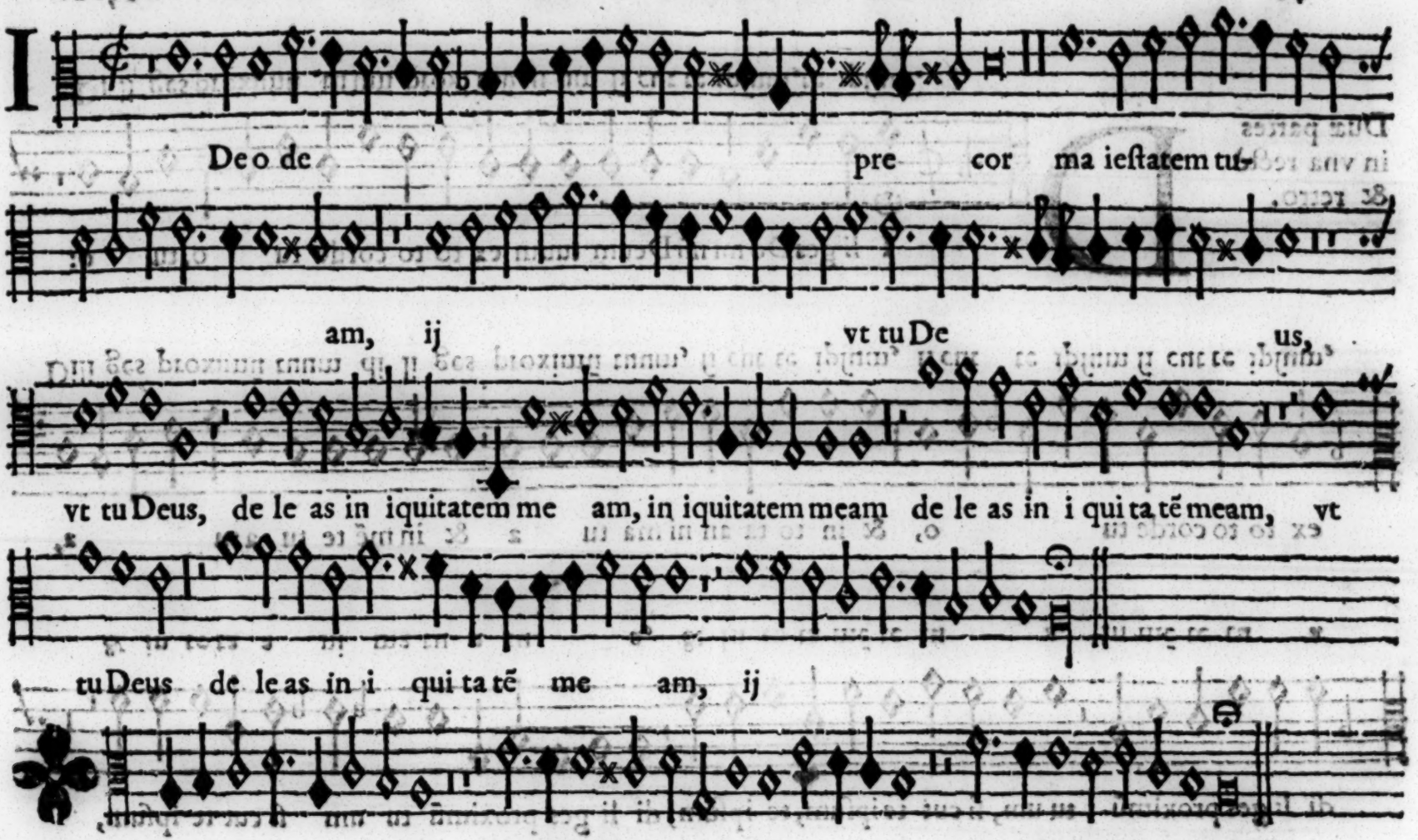

Facti sũt na za re i ij e ius can di di, fa cti sũt na za re-
i na za re i e ius, Al le luy a, ij Al le luy a: ſplẽdo rẽ De o
de deu rũt, Al le luy a, ij Al leluy a: ij & ſicut
lac co a gu la ti sũt, & ſi cut lac cõ a gu la ti sũt, co a gu la ti ſunt, Al le luy a, ij
Al le luy a, ij Al le luy a.
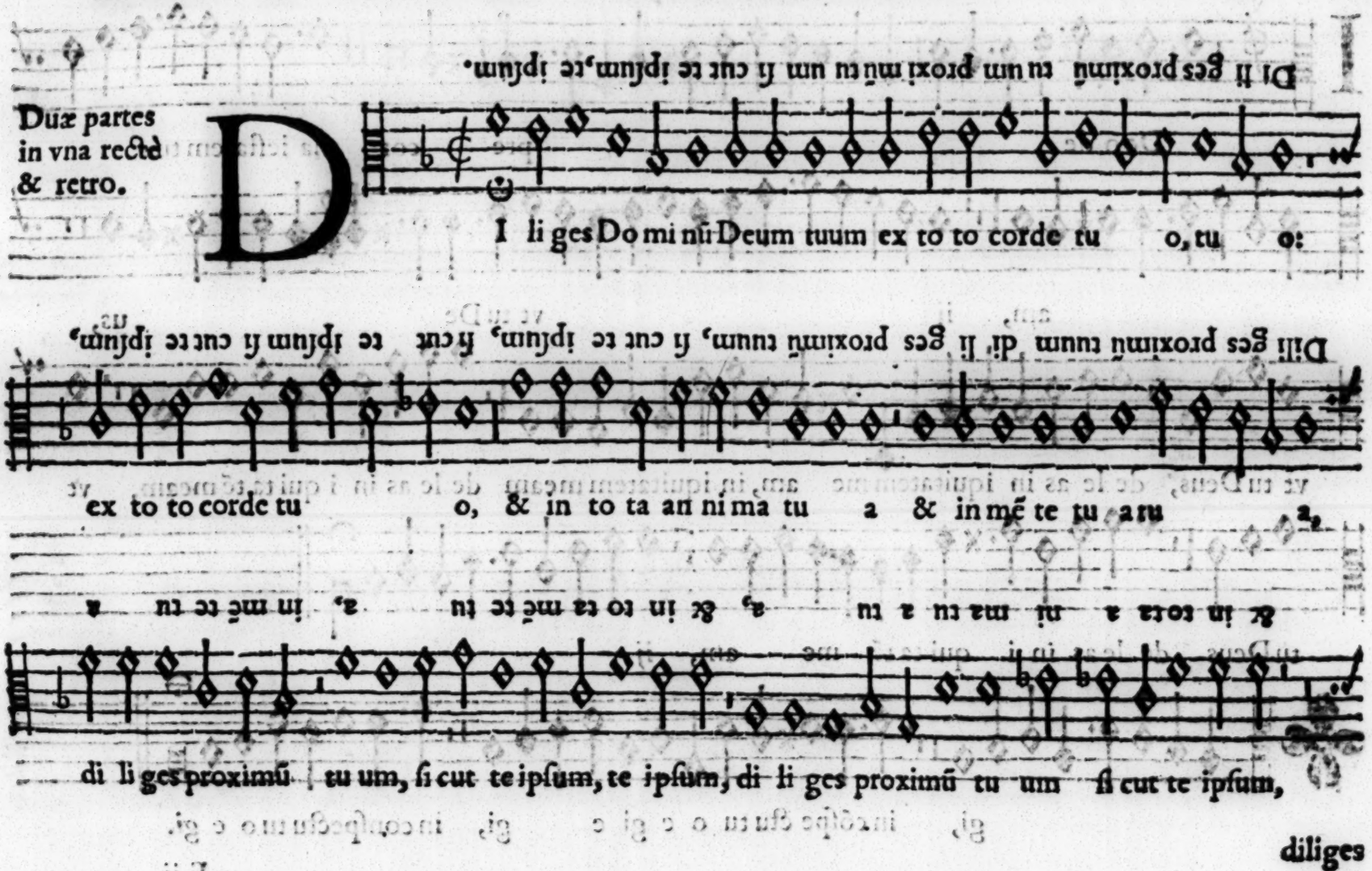



A mihi auxi lium de tribu la ti o ne, de tri bu la ti o ne ij
tri bula ti o ne, de tribu la ti o ne, da mi hi au xi lium ij
de tri bu la ti o ne tribu la ti o ne, quia vana ſa lus homi nis, ij
hominis, quia vana ſa lus hominis ij qui a vana
ſalus hominis: Aut a liquid ſaltē reſ pi rā di tem pus ſal tē reſpi rā di tem pus, aut aliquid ſal tem
reſpi


reſpirandi tem pus ſalte reſpirandi tẽpus,tẽ pus,vt plã gam vt plãgã iuuen-
tu tem me am, vt plãgã iuuentutẽ me am, vt plãgam iuuentutẽ meam,
ij iu uentutẽ me am, vt plã gam vt plãgam
iuuen tu tem me am, iu uentu tẽ me am: me am.
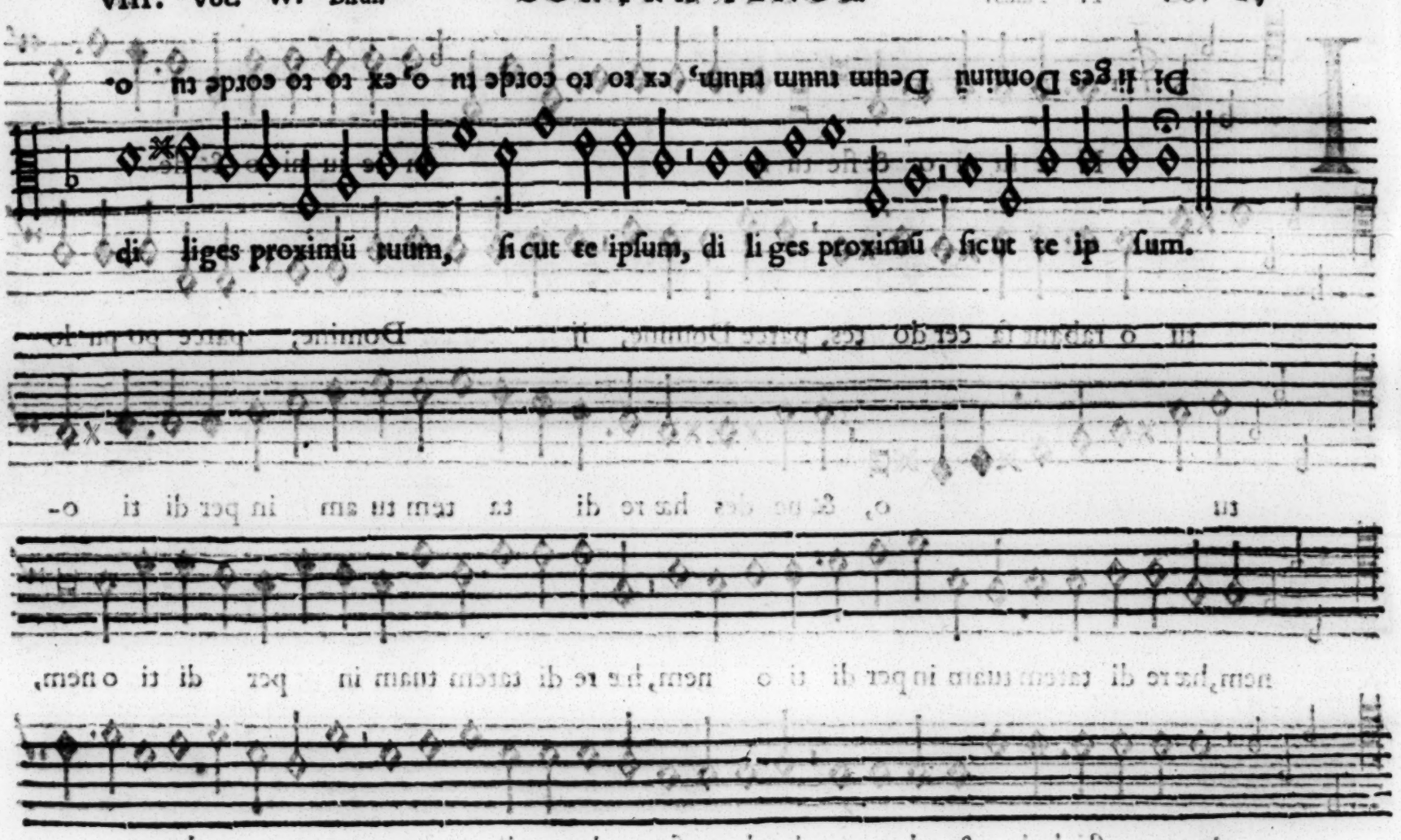

Ecundũ actũ me um Do mine, ſecundũ actũ meum actũ me um,
ſecundum actũ me um, actũ me um, ſecundũ a ctũ meum, ij
ſecundũ a ctũ me um, no li me iu di ca re, ij
Nihil dignũ in conſpectu tuo e gi, nihil dignũ ij
in conſpectu tu o e gi, nihil dignũ in cõſpectu tu o, e gi, ij e
gi,
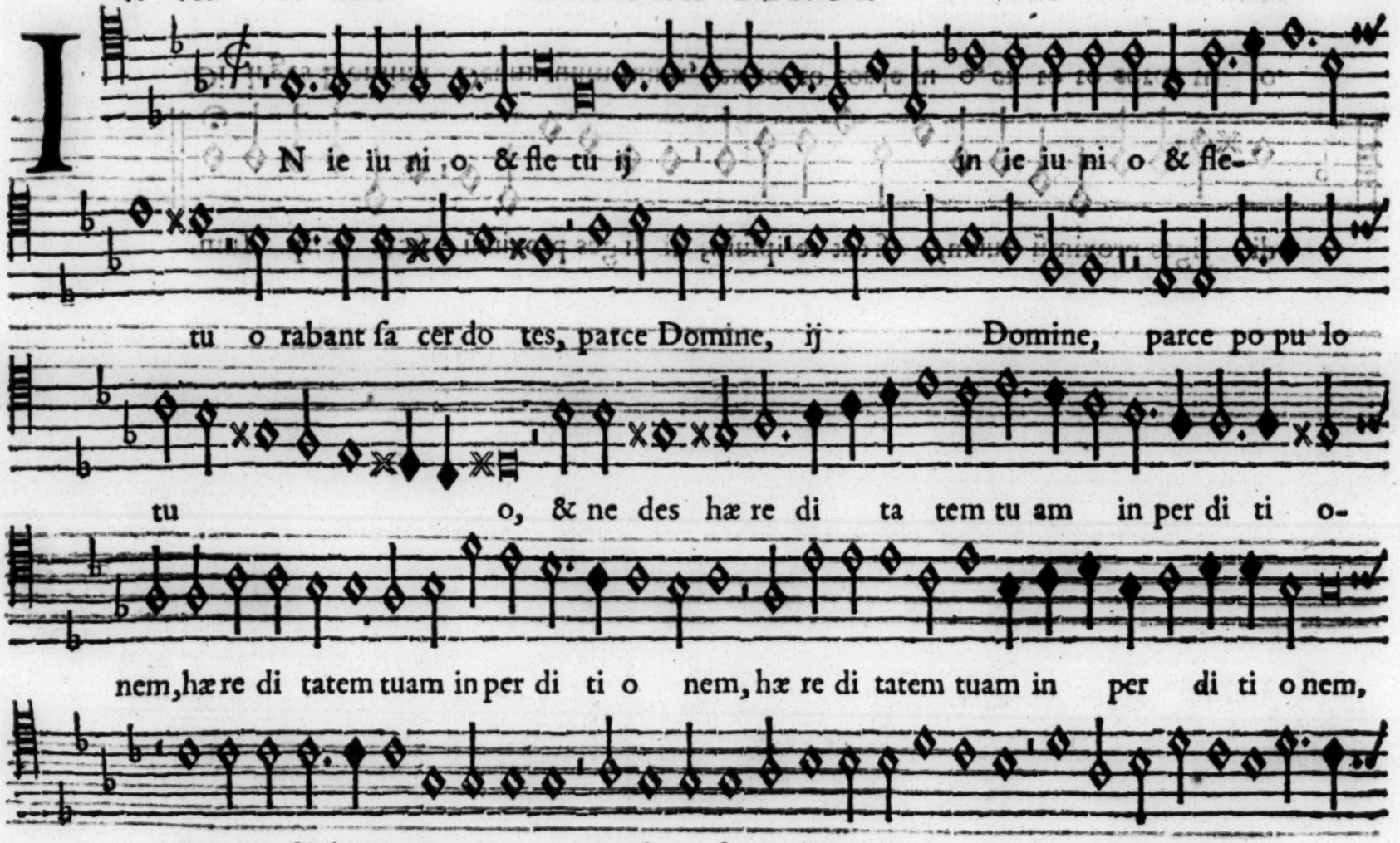

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De o de pre cor ma ieſtatem tu-
am, ij vt tu De us,
vt tu Deus, de le as in iquitatem me am, in iquitatem meam de le as in i qui ta tẽ meam, vt
tu Deus de le as in i qui ta tẽ me am, ij
gi, in cõſpe ctu tu o e gi e gi, in conſpectu tu o e gi.

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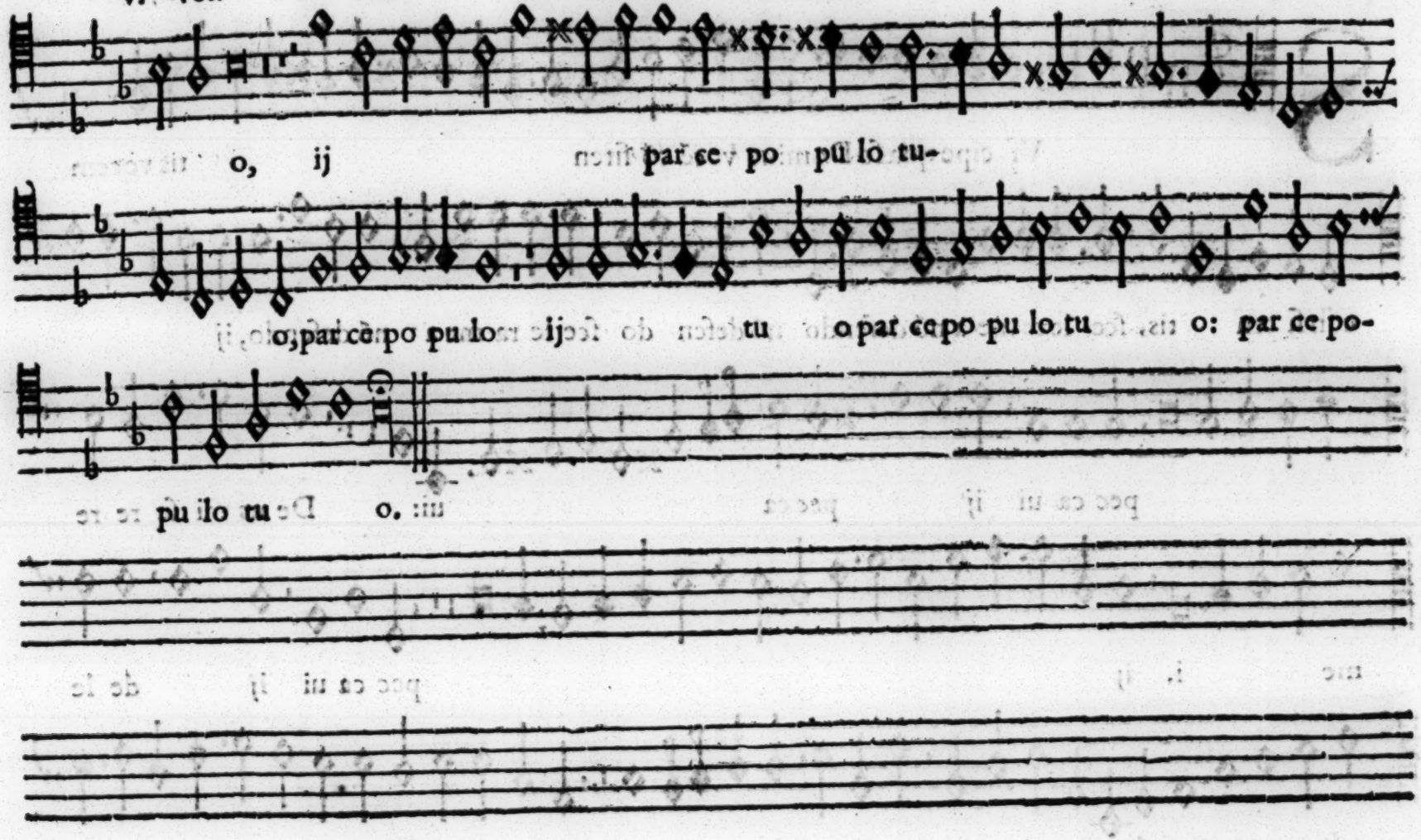


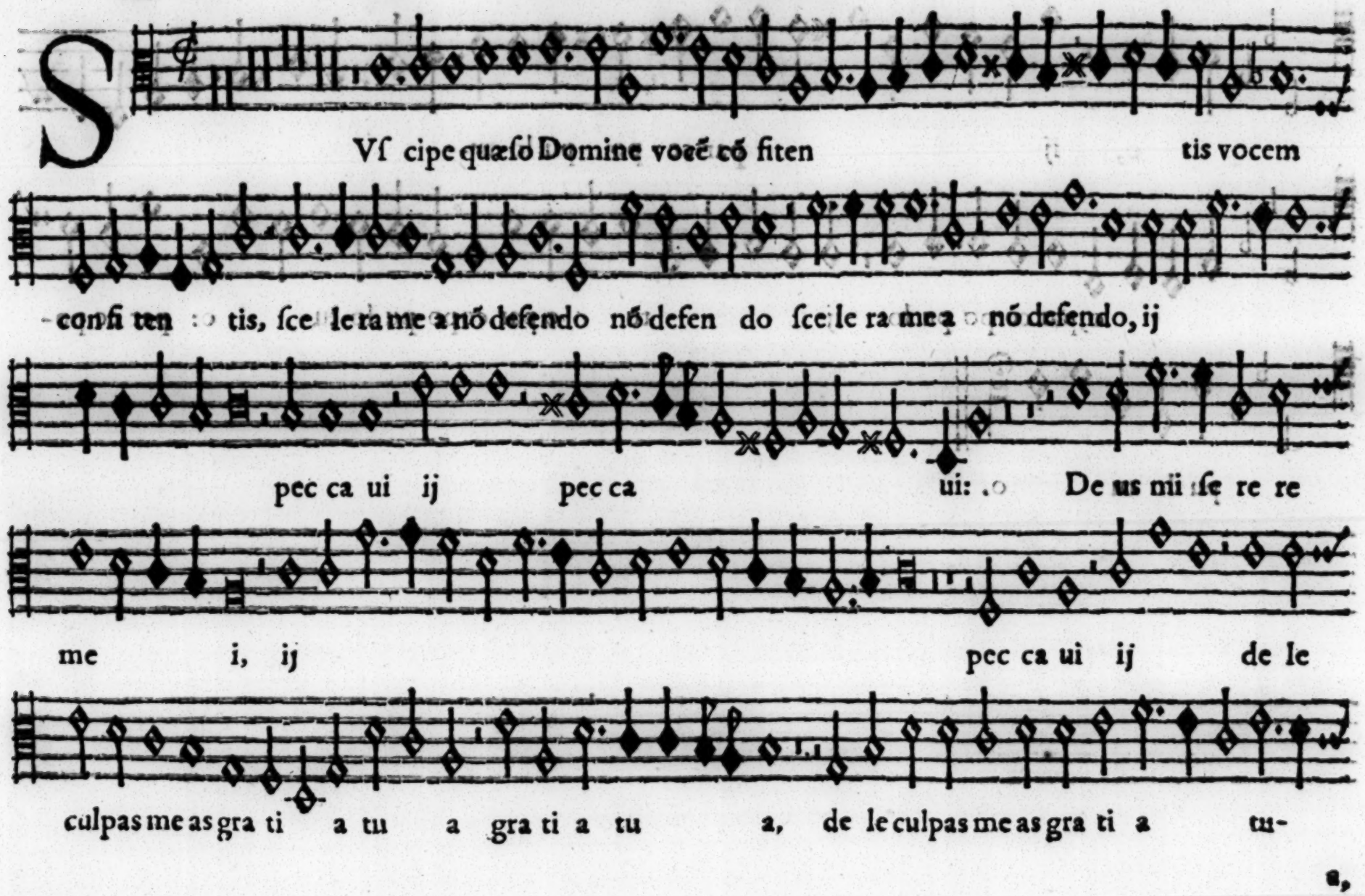

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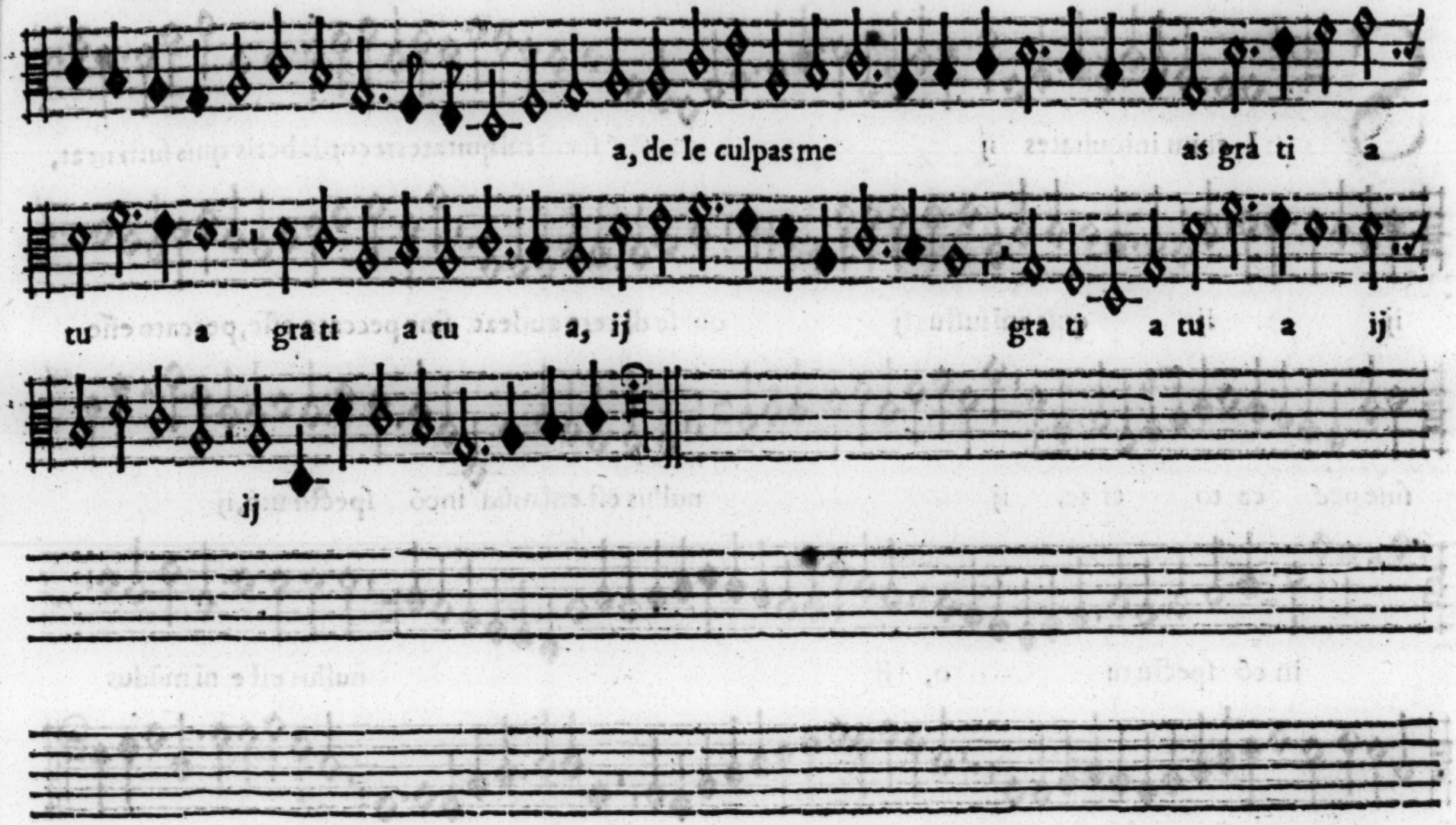

di liges proximũ tuum, sicut te ipsum, di liges proximũ sicut te ipsum.

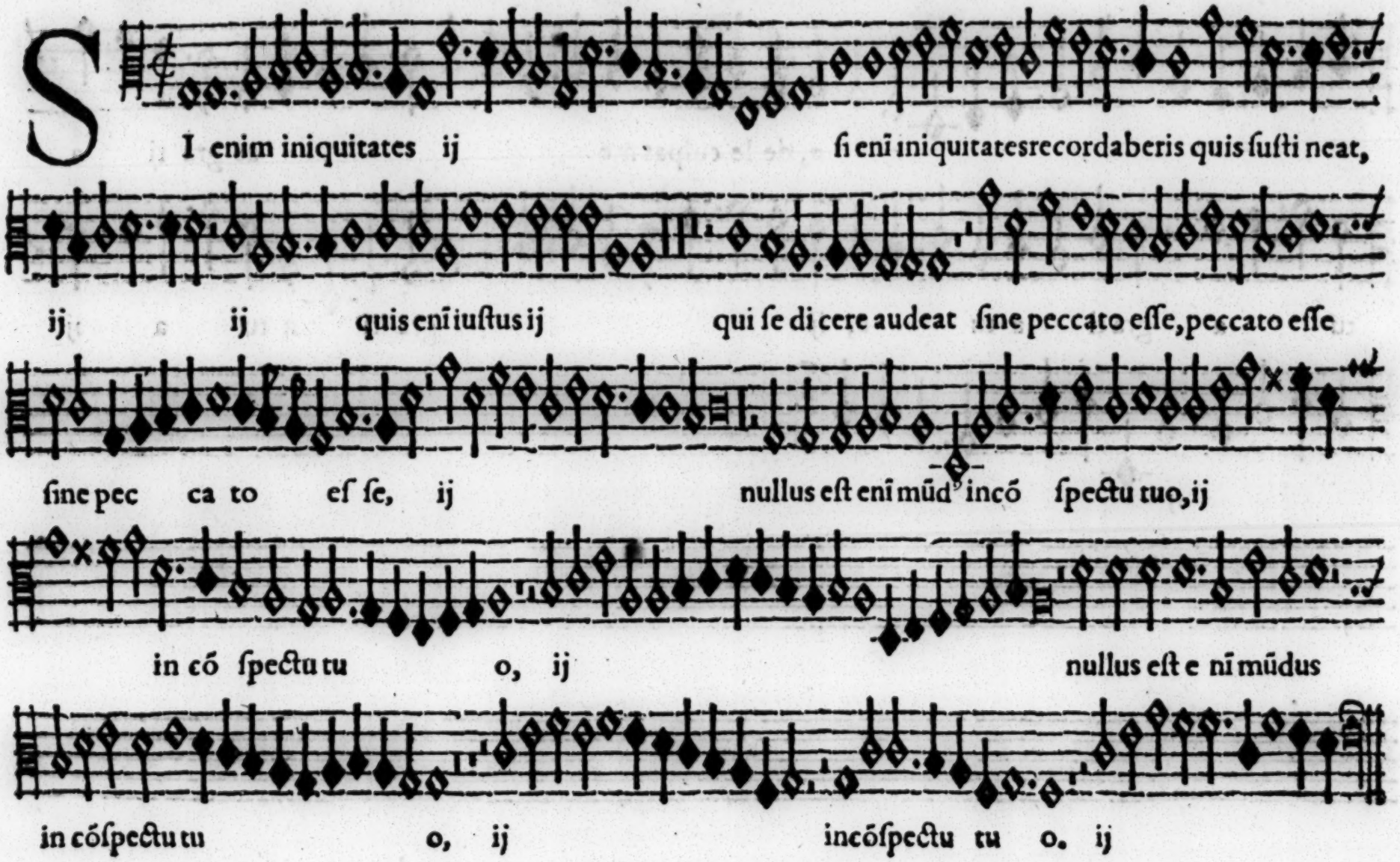

IN ie iu ni o & fle tu ij in ie iu ni o & fle-
tu o rabant ſa cer do tes, parce Domine, ij Domine, parce po pu lo
tu o, & ne des hæ re di ta tem tu am in per di ti o-
nem, hæ re di tatem tuam in per di ti o nem, hæ re di tatem tuam in per di ti o nem,
in ter ve ſti bulum & al ta re plorabant ſa cer dotes dicen tes, par ce po pu lo tu-
o,
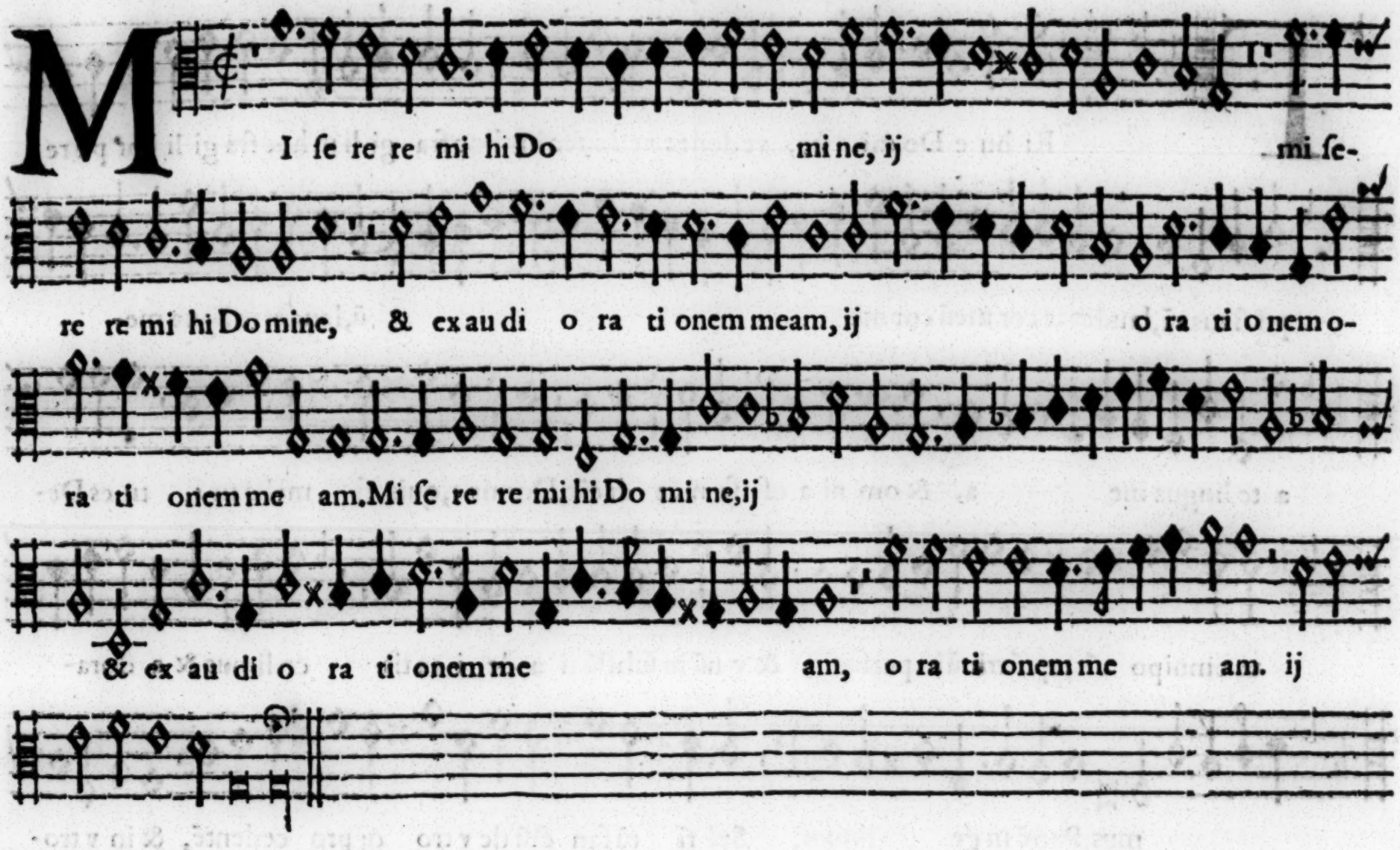
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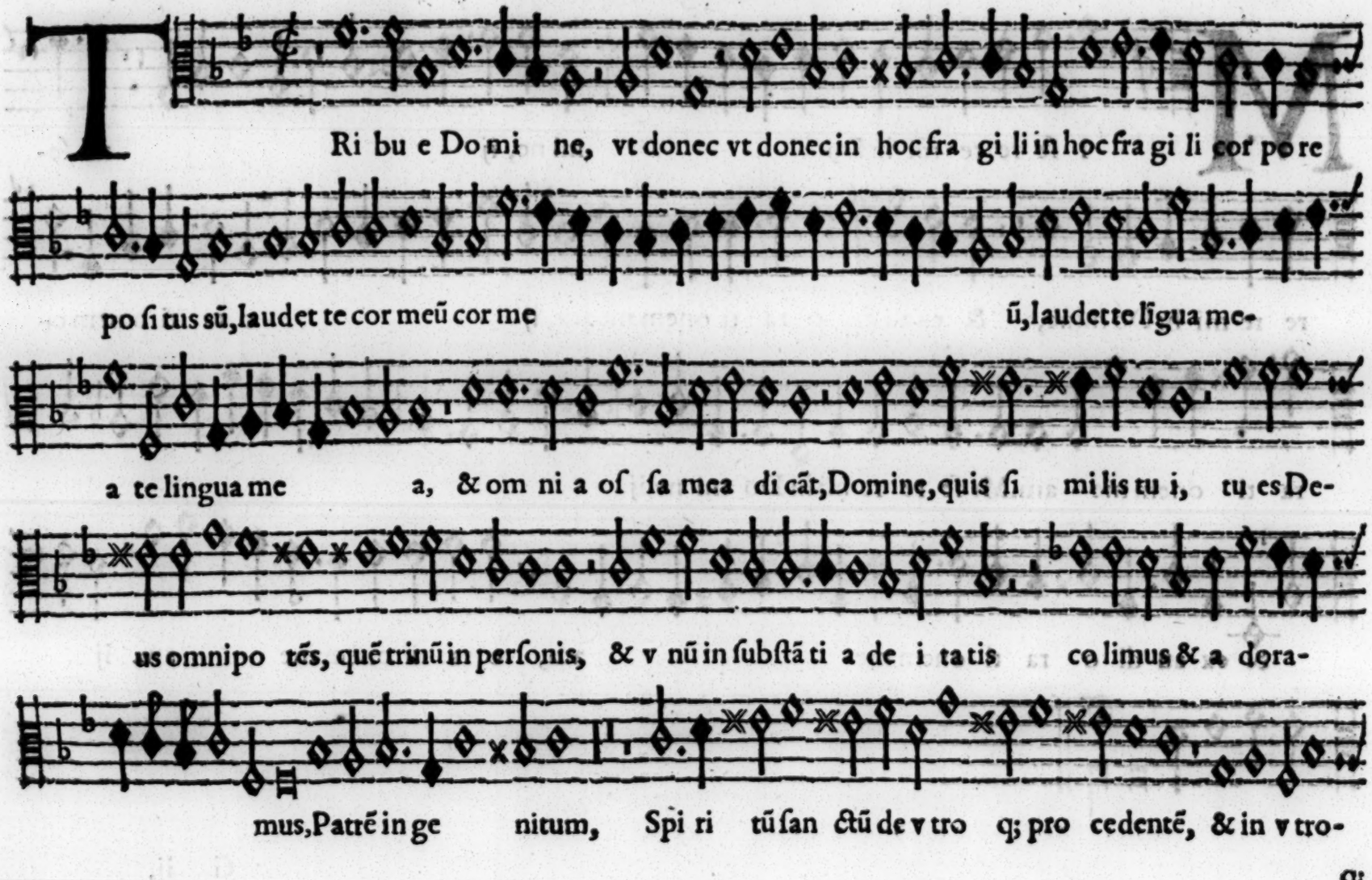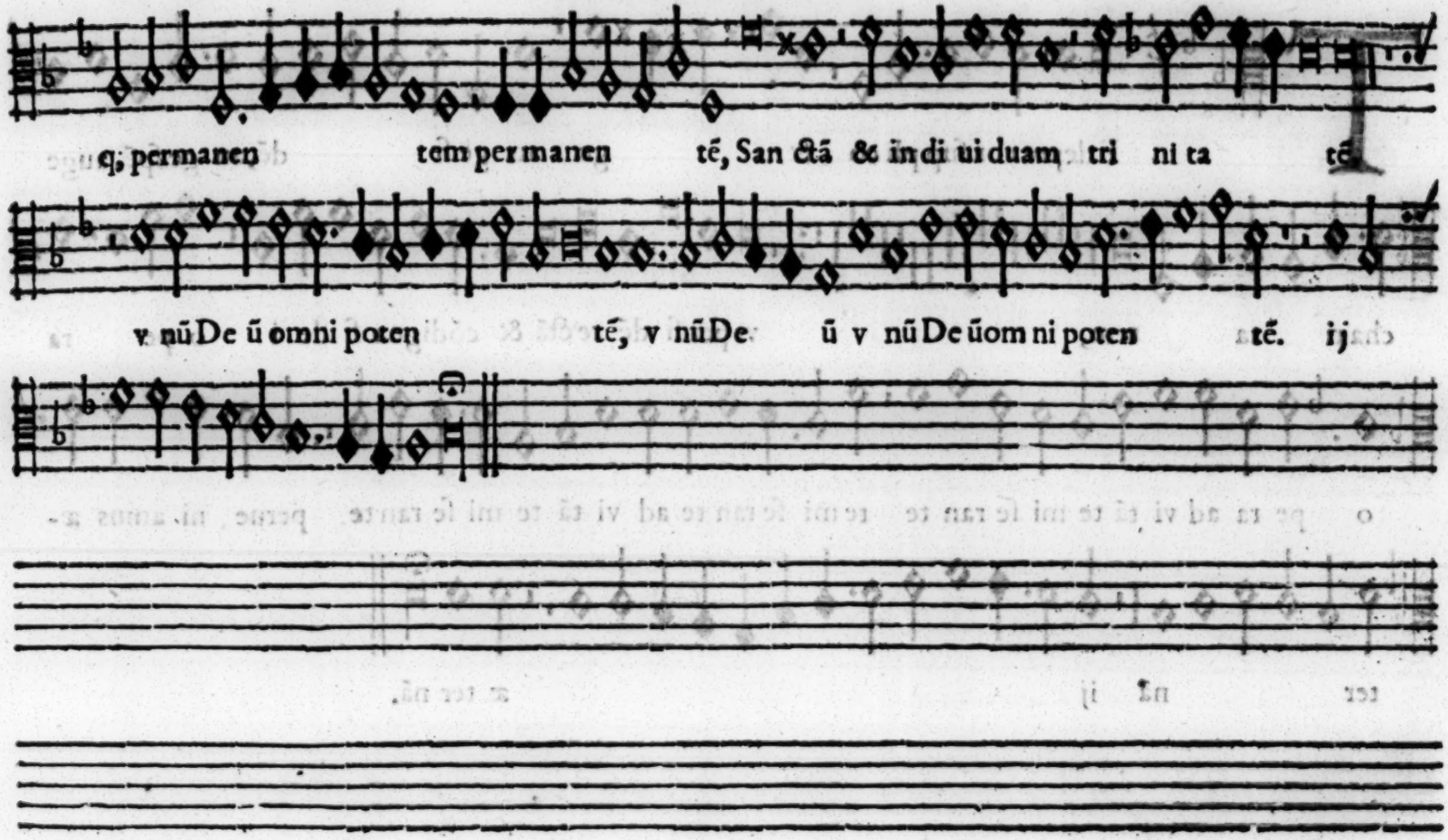



Vſ cipe quæſo Domine voce cõ fiten tis vocem
confi ten tis, ſce le ra me a nõ defendo nõ defen do ſce le ra me a nõ defendo, ij
pec ca ui ij pec ca ui: De us mi ſe re re
me i, ij pec ca ui ij de le
culpas me as gra ti a tu a gra ti a tu a, de le culpas me as gra ti a tu-
a,
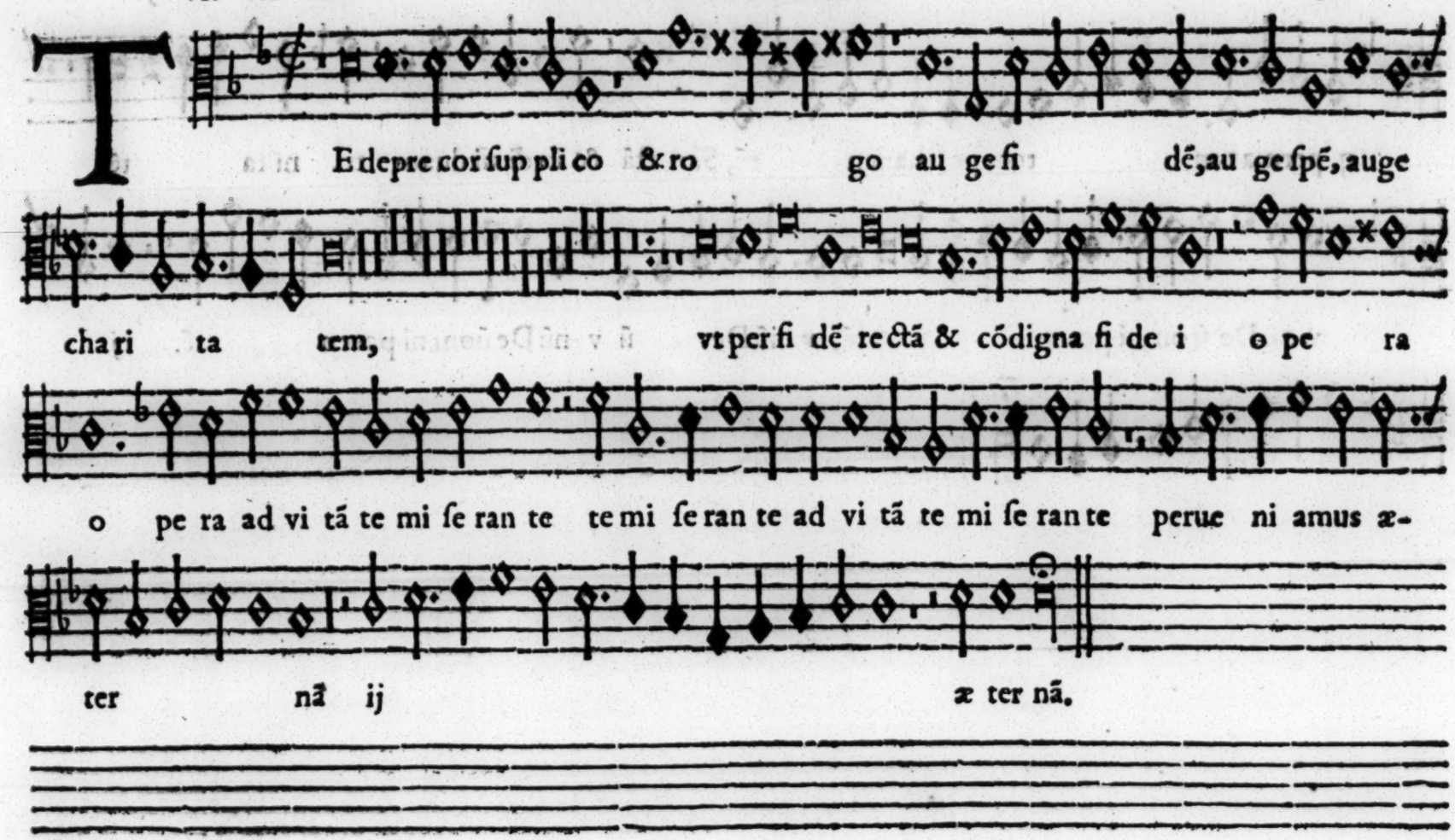

a, de le culpas me
as grá ti a
tu a gra ti a tu a, ij
gra ti a tu a ij
ij
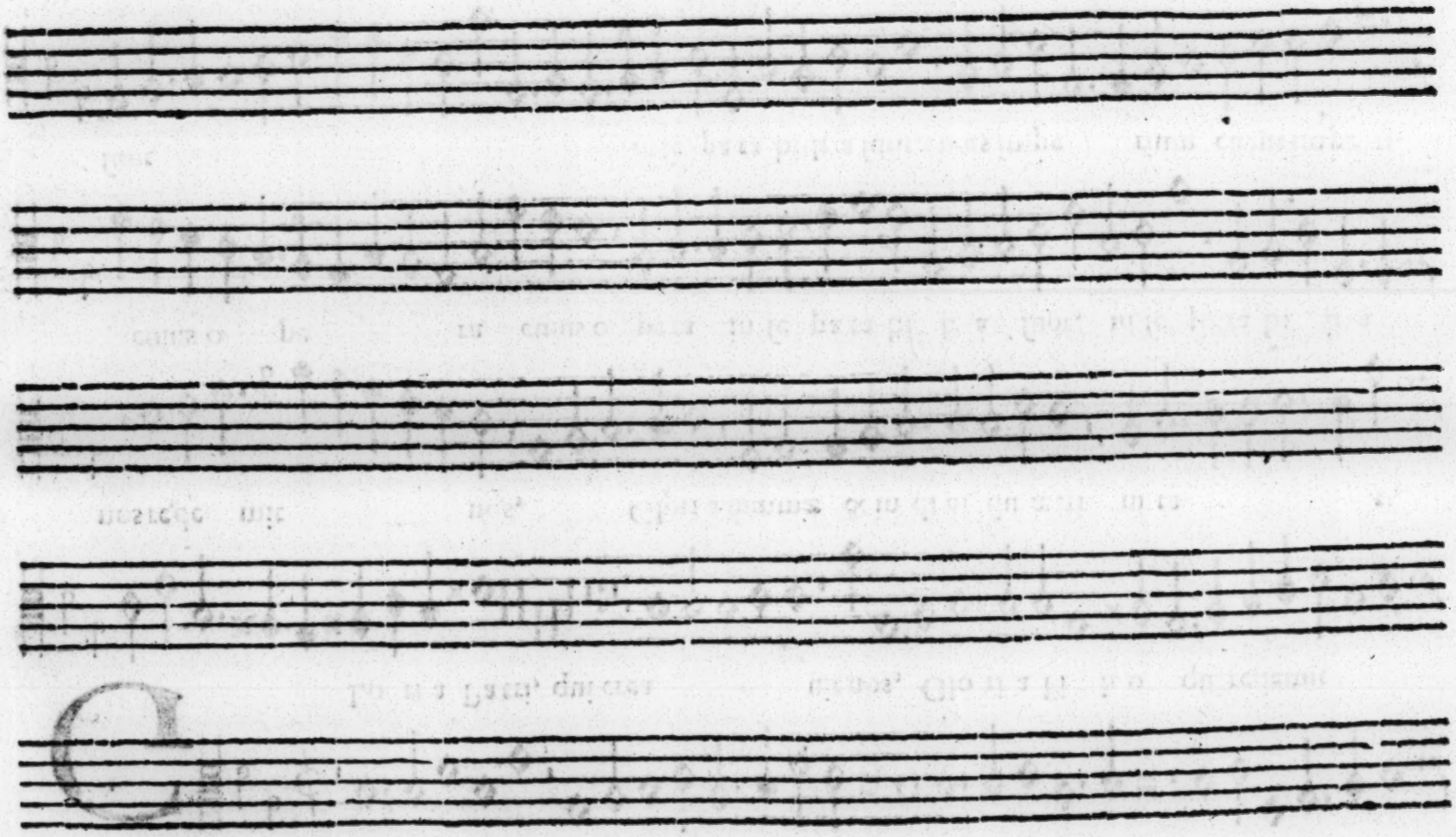

I enim iniquitates ij
si enī iniquitatesrecordaberis quis sustī neat,
ij ij quis enī iustus ij
qui se di cere audeat sine peccato esse,peccato esse
sine pec ca to es se, ij
nullus est enī mūd incō spectu tuo,ij
in cō spectu tu o, ij
nullus est e nī mūdus
in cōspectu tu o, ij
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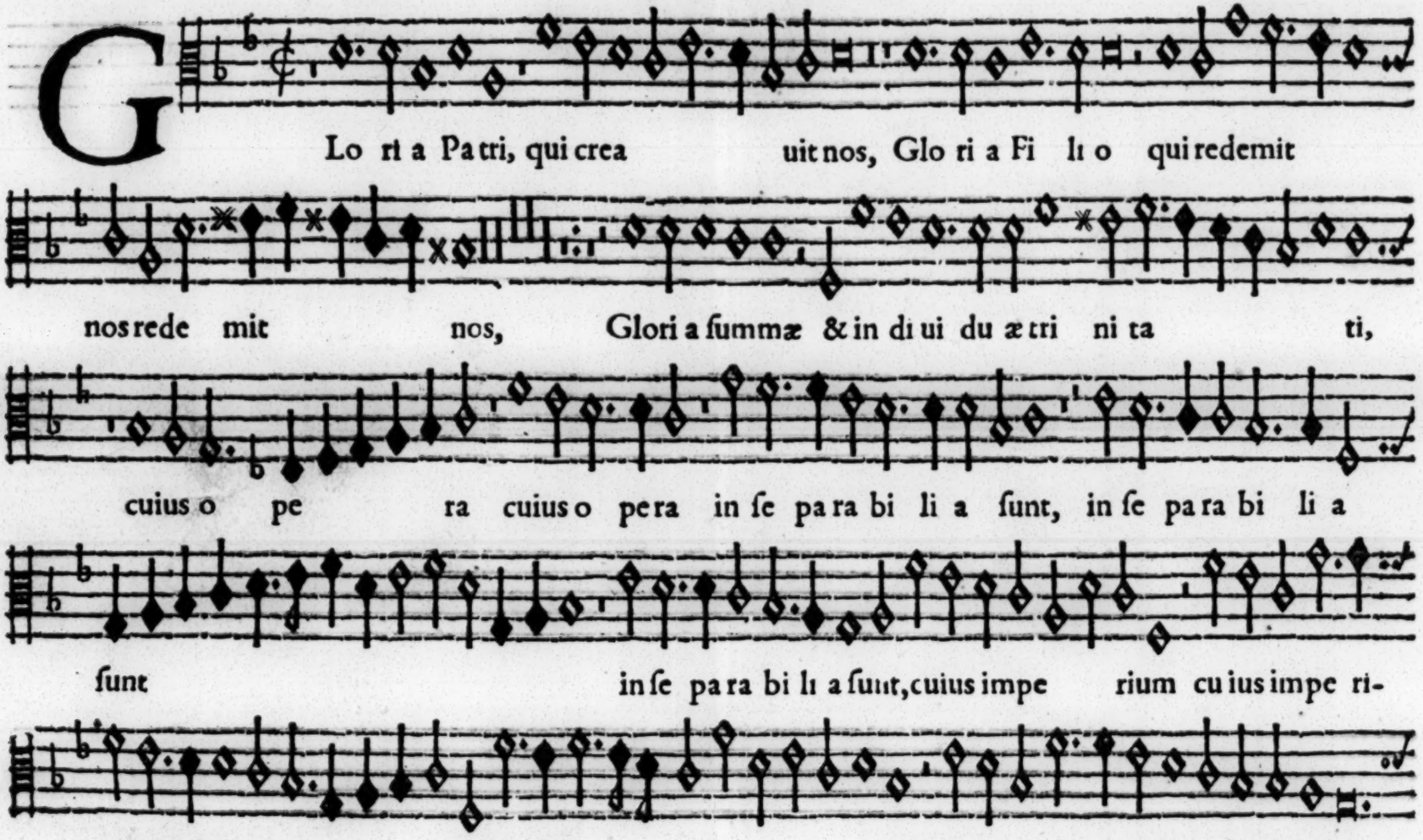

Miſere re mi hi Do mine, ij miſe-
re re mi hi Do mine, & exaudi o ra ti onem meam, ij o ra ti onem o-
ra ti onem me am. Miſere re mi hi Do mi ne, ij
& exaudi o ra ti onem me am, o ra ti onem me am. ij
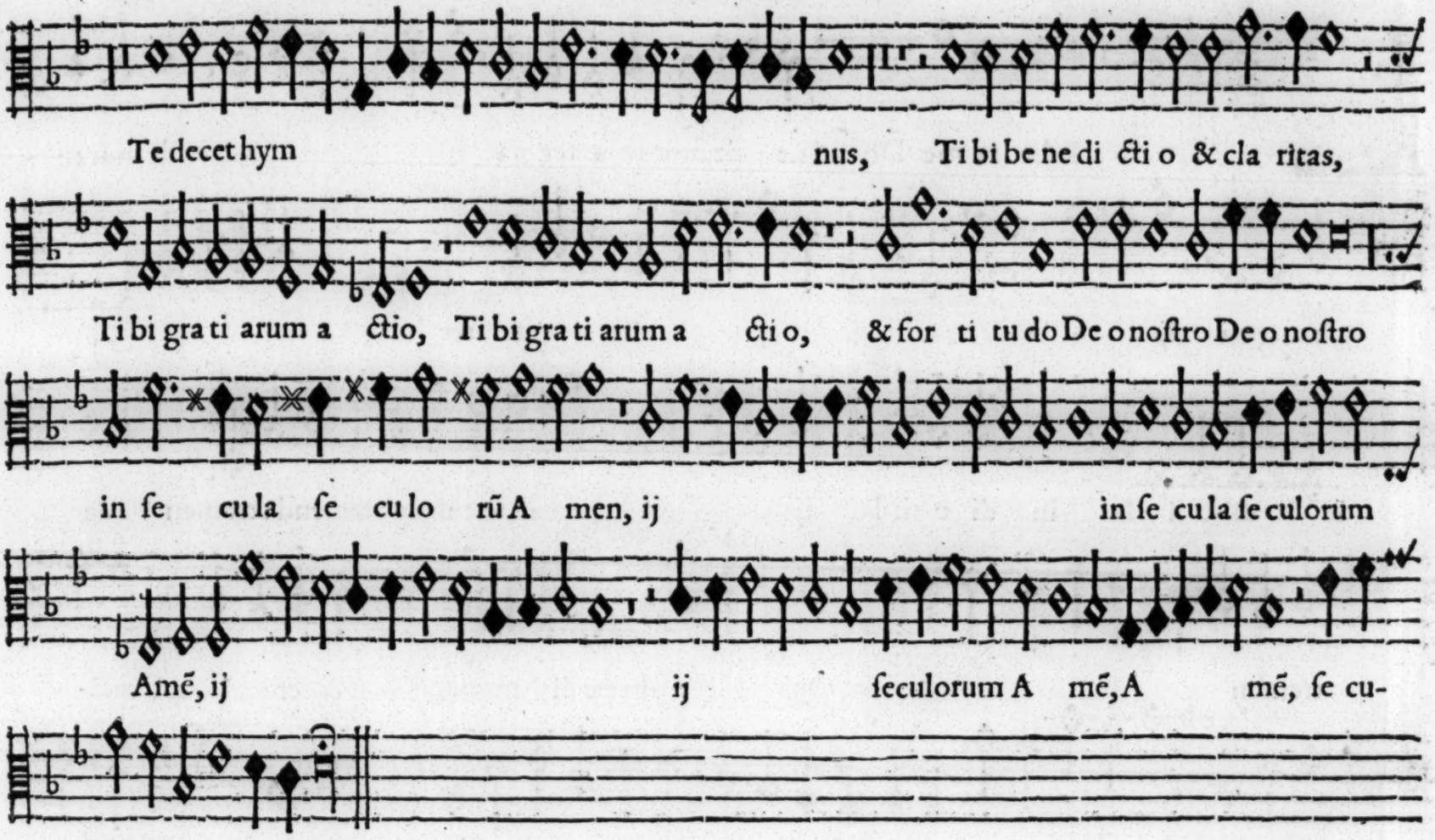

Ri bu e Do mi ne, vt donec vt donec in hoc fra gi li in hoc fra gi li cor po re
po ſi tus sũ, laudet te cor meũ cor me ũ, laudet te lĩgua me-
a te lingua me a, & om ni a oſ ſa mea di cãt, Domine, quis ſi mi lis tu i, tu es De-
us omnipo tẽs, quẽ trinũ in perſonis, & v nũ in ſubſtã ti a de i ta tis co limus & a dora-
mus, Patrẽ in ge nitum, Spi ri tũ ſan ctũ de v tro q; pro cedentẽ, & in v tro-
q;

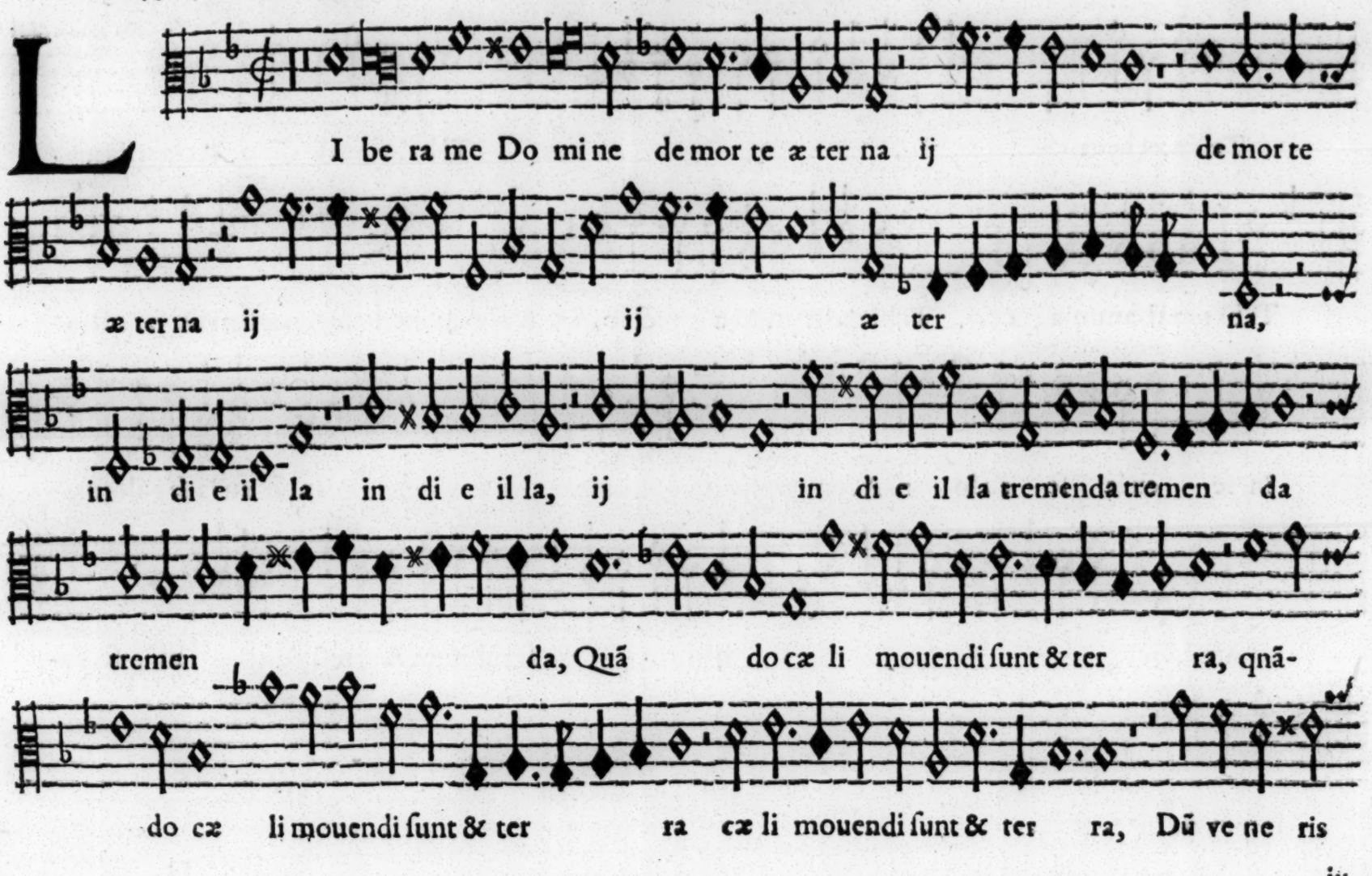

q; permanen tem per manen tē, San &tā & in di ui duam tri ni ta tē.
v nū De ū omni poten tē, v nū De ū v nū De ūom ni poten tē. ij


T E depre cor ſup pli co & ro go au ge ſi dē, au ge ſpē, auge
cha ri ta tem, vt per ſi dē rectā & cōdigna ſi de i o pe ra
o pe ra ad vi tā te mi ſe ran te te mi ſe ran te ad vi tā te mi ſe ran te perue ni amus æ-
ter nā ij æ ter nā.
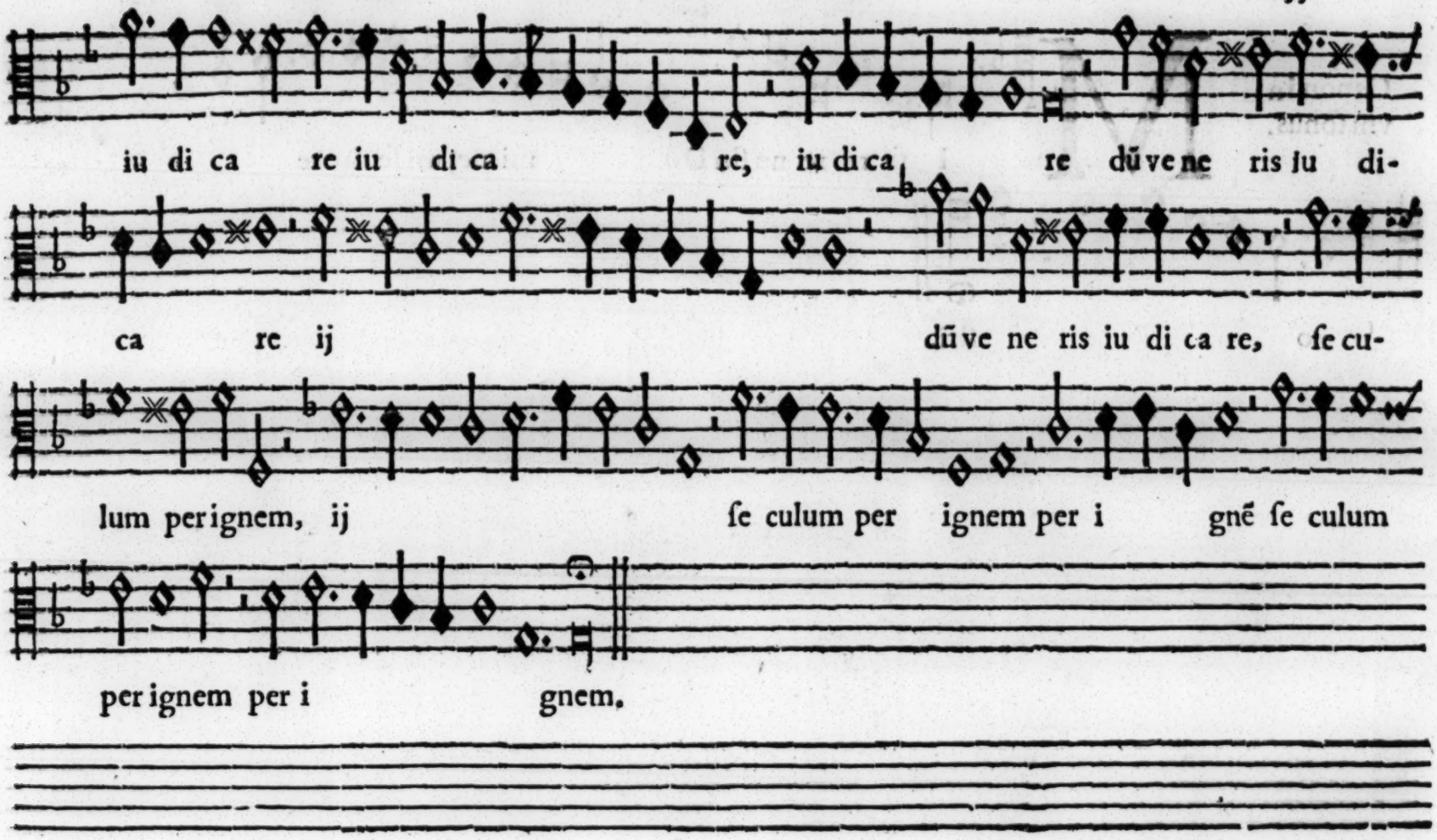



Lo ri a Patri, qui crea uit nos, Glo ri a Fi li o qui redemit
nos rede mit nos, Glori a ſummæ & in di ui du æ tri ni ta ti,
cuius o pe ra cuius o pera in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, in ſe pa ra bi li a
ſunt in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, cuius impe rium cu ius impe ri-
um ſi ne fi ne ma net ſi ne fi ne ma net, cuius im pe rium ſi ne fi ne manet

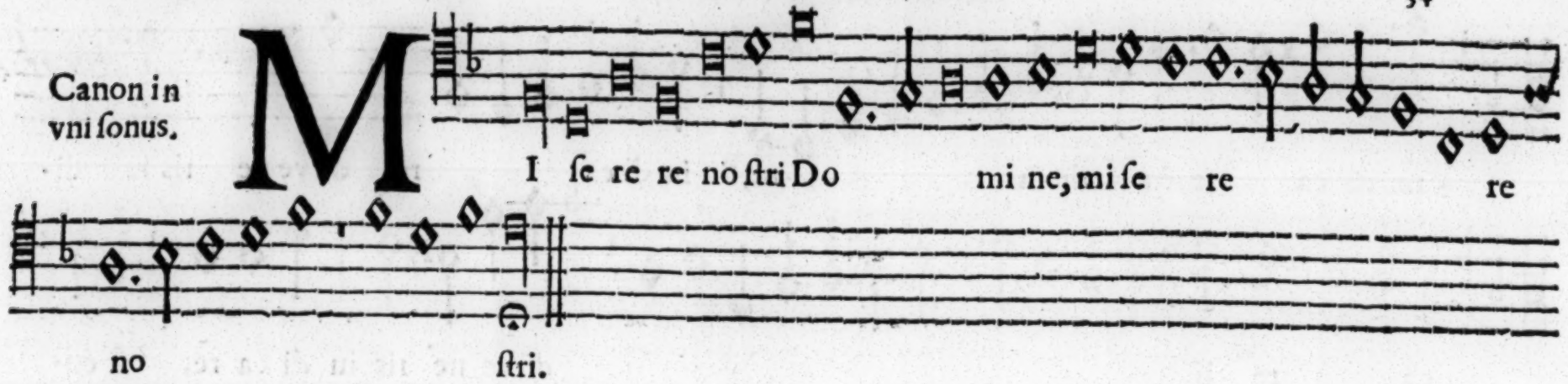

Te decet hym nus, Tibi bene di cti o & cla ritas,
Tibi gra ti arum a ctio, Tibi gra ti arum a cti o, & for ti tu do De o noſtro De o noſtro
in ſe cu la ſe cu lo rũ A men, ij in ſe cu la ſe culorum
Amẽ, ij ij ſeculorum A mẽ, A mẽ, ſe cu-
lorum A men.


L
I be ra me Do mi ne de mor te æ ter na ij de mor te
æ ter na ij ij æ ter na,
in di e il la in di e il la, ij in di e il la tremenda tremen da
tremen da, Quã do cæ li mouendi ſunt & ter ra, qnã-
do cæ li mouendi ſunt & ter ra cæ li mouendi ſunt & ter ra, Dũ ve ne ris

iu-


iu di ca re iu di ca re, iu di ca re dũ ve ne ris iu di-
ca re ij dũ ve ne ris iu di ca re, ſe cu-
lum per ignem, ij ſe culum per ignem per i gnẽ ſe culum
per ignem per i gnem.

Canon in vniſonus.



*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

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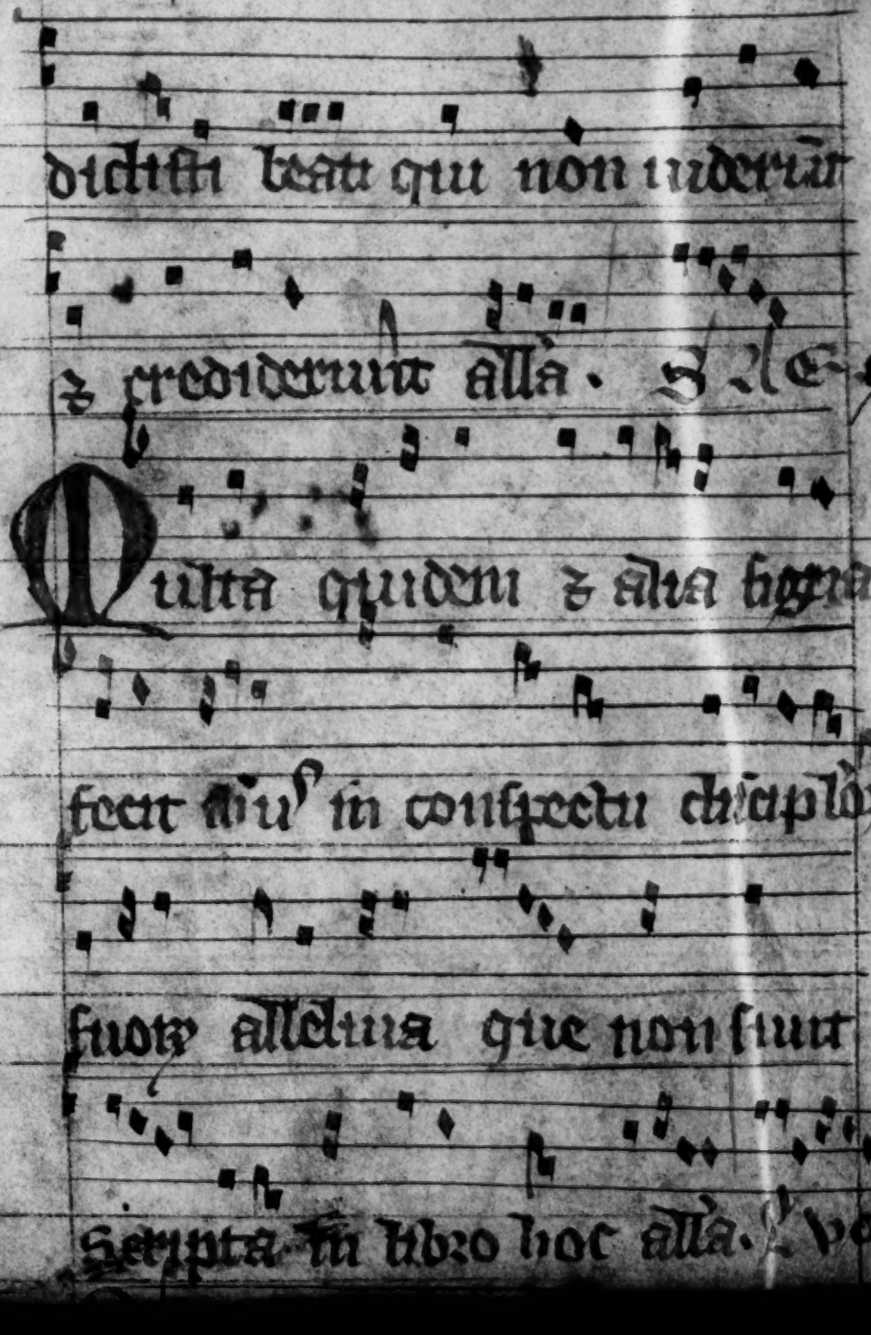

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Diliges Dominum, octo partes in quatuor, rectà & retrò.
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*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokeſellers and other officers miniſters and ſubiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the eſpeciall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the ſcience of muſicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued ſeruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the aſſignes of them and of the ſuruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next enſuing, to imprint any and ſo many as they will of ſet ſonge or ſonges in partes, either in Engliſh, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may ſerue for muſicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwiſe to be either plaid or ſoonge, And that they may rule and cauſe to be ruled by impreſſion any paper to ſerue for printing or pricking of any ſonge or ſonges, and may ſell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any ſonge or ſonges, or any bookes or quieres of ſuch ruled paper imprinted, Alſo we ſtraightly by the ſame forbid all printers bookeſellers ſubiects & ſtrangers, other then as is aforeſaid, to do any the premiſſes, or to bring or cauſe to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any ſonge or ſonges made and printed in any forren countrie, to ſell or put to ſale, vpon paine of our high diſpleaſure, And the offender in any of the premiſſes for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and ſucceſſors fortie ſhllings, and to the ſaid Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their aſſignes & to the aſſignes of the ſuruiuer of the, all & euery the ſaid bokes papers ſonge or ſonges, VVe haue alſo by the ſame willed & commaunded our printers, maiſters & wardens of the miſterie of ſtacioners, to aſſiſt the ſaid Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their aſſignes for the dewe executing of the premiſſes.*

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re eius roseo gustando tu
tutus deo. Protecti pasche
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omi imperio. Iam paschа
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nus est sinceritatis azima
caro eius oblata est. Quae
digna hostia per quia fracta
sunt tartara redempta plebs
captiuata redita uite pre
mia. Consurgit xpc tu
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culo et referatur patrisium.
Os auctor. Filia t dnc q̄s.



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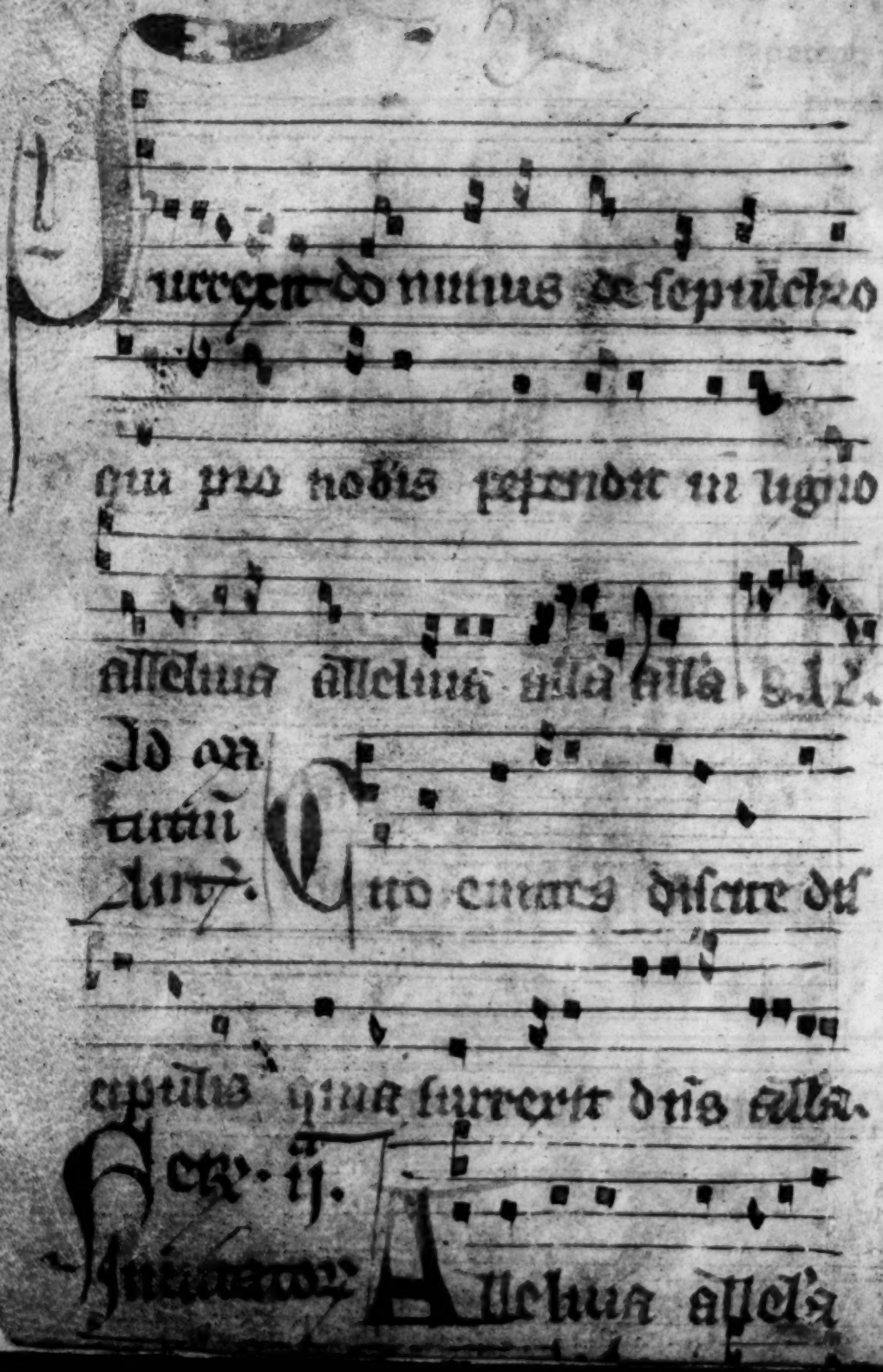
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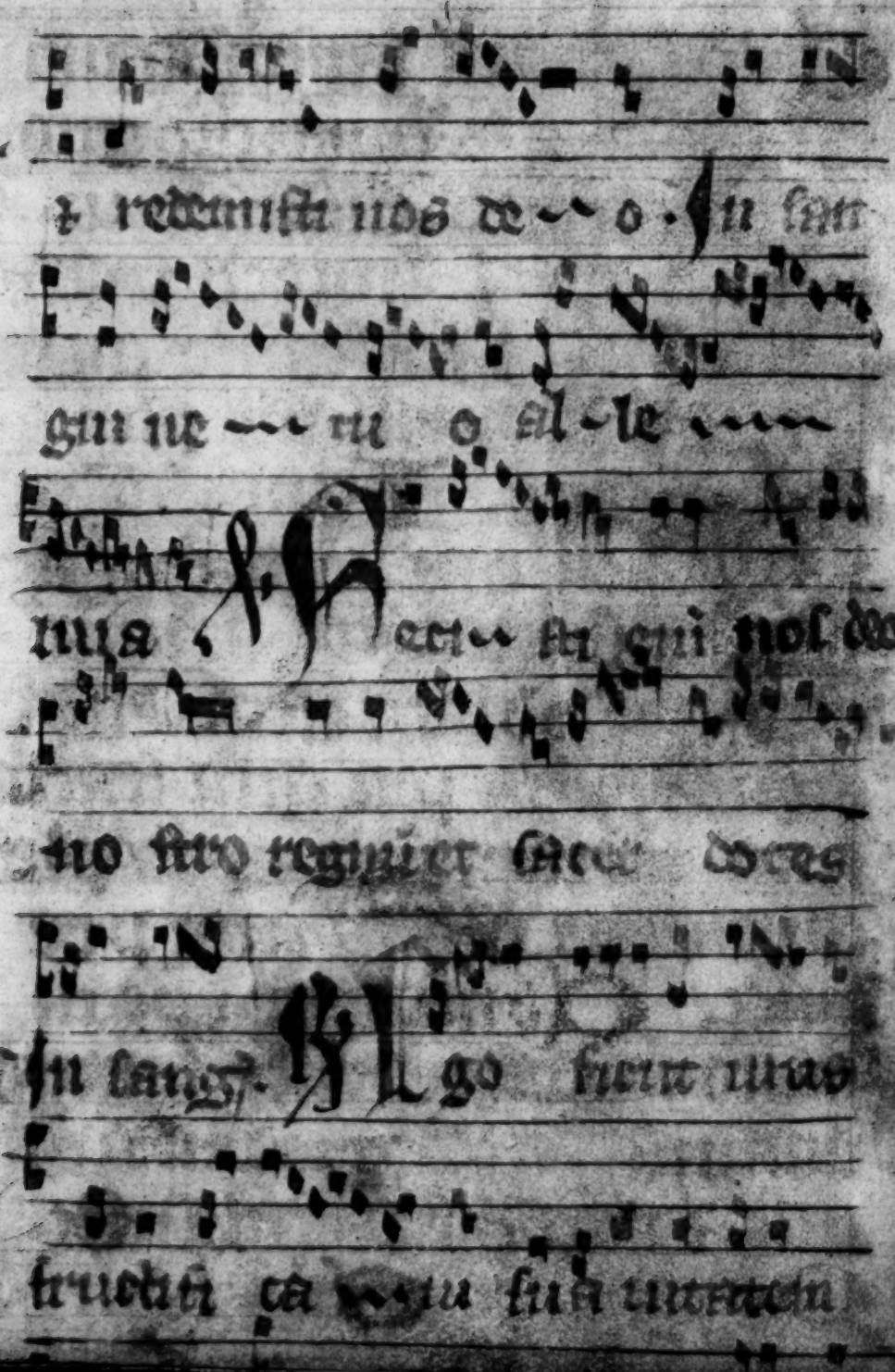
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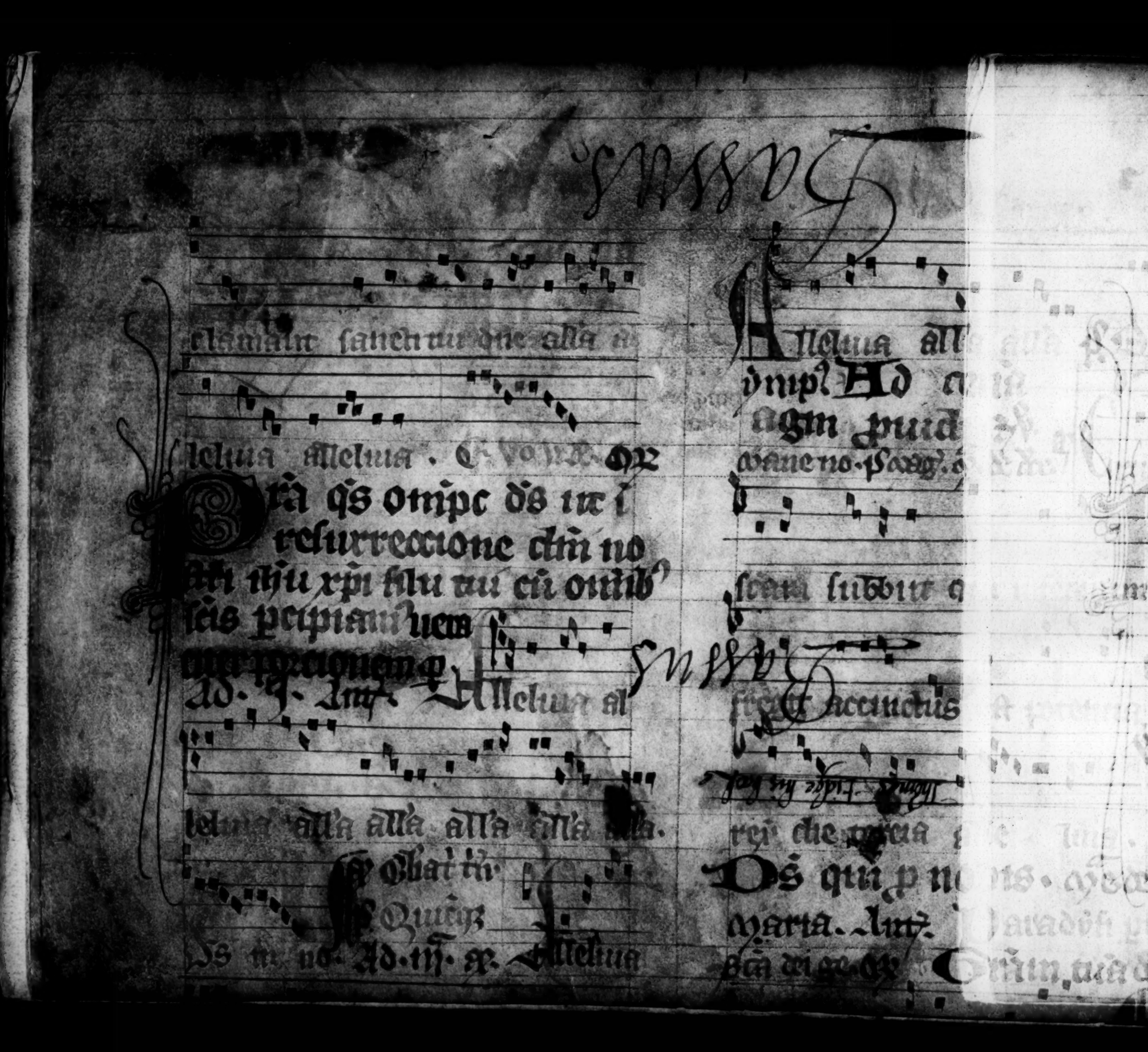
dicitis beati qui non uiderunt
z crediderunt alla. Ps.

Multa quidem z alia signa
fecit ihs in conspectu discipulor
suor alleluia que non sunt
scripta in libro hoc alla. V vox.









mane nugilauerunt ad me m

uerunt me. Cui. Audi

ui uocem m ce lo tam

quam uocem tonitrui magni

alle luia. Regnabit de

us noster in eternu alleluia

Ce deus

no dicat qui de felix

lgit. Ps. Iu refurr

coe tua. In laud. ar

Alle lui

alleluia. Dns regn. De cce.

Crucifixus surrexit a mortu

is redemit nos alleluia. Sic

Dicite in nat. or. Os q pro

nobis fil. tde. s. ami. Pad

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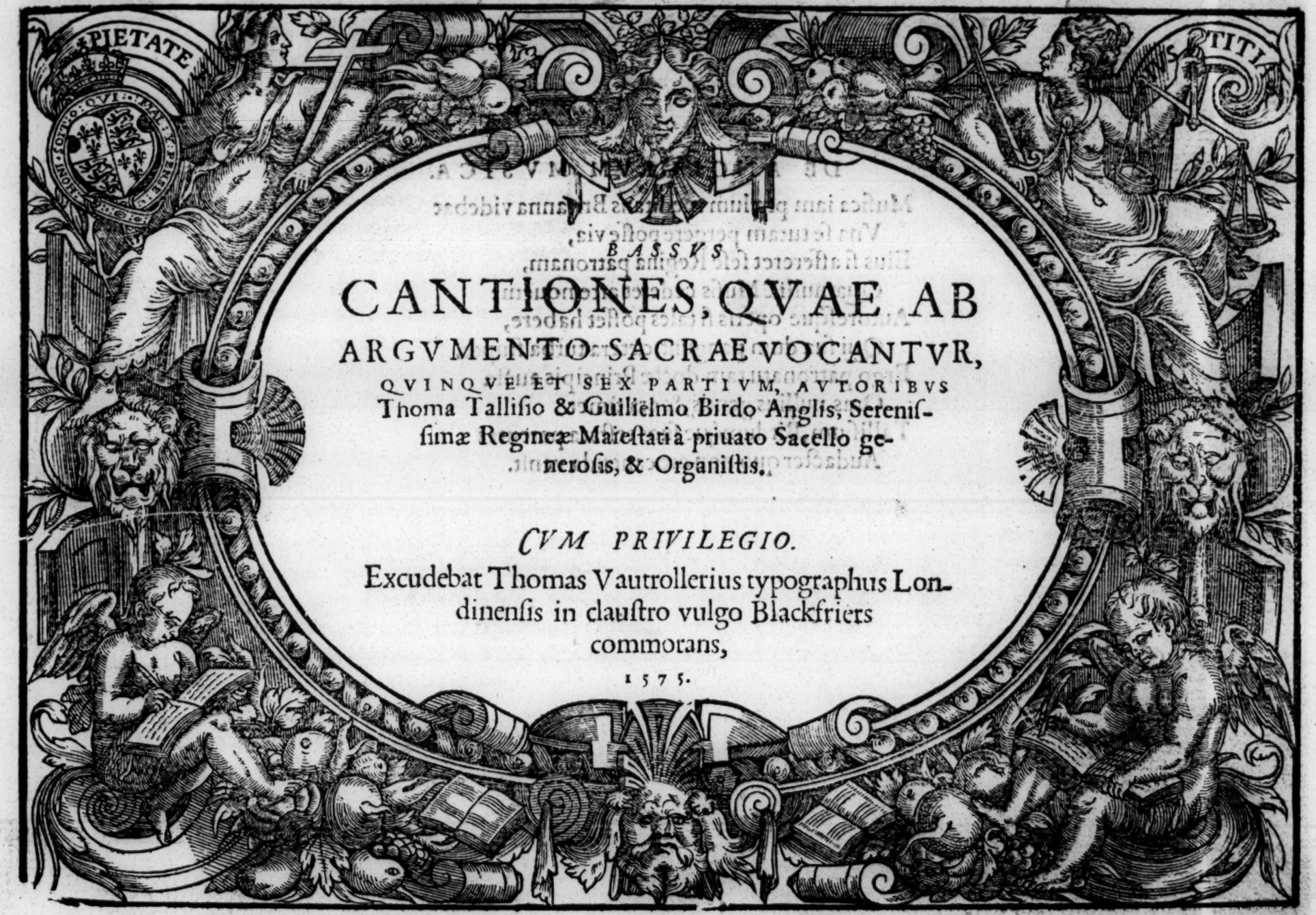
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huch tu dne ao

Amen.

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*BASSVS*

# CANTIONES, QVAE AB ARGVMENTO SACRAE VOCANTVR,

QVINQVE ET SEX PARTIVM, AVTORIBVS
Thoma Tallisio & Guilielmo Birdo Anglis, Sereniſſimæ Reginæ Maieſtati à priuato Sacello generoſis, & Organiſtis.

*CVM PRIVILEGIO.*

Excudebat Thomas Vautrollerius typographus Londinenſis in clauſtro vulgo Blackfriers commorans,

1575.

## DE ANGLORVM MVSICA.

Muſica iam prælum meditans Britanna videbat
Vna ſe tutam pergere poſſe via,
Eius ſi aſſereret ſeſe Regina patronam,
Quæ nulli è Muſis cederet arte nouem:
Autoreſque operis ſi tales poſſet habere,
Qui ſua dum pangunt, cætera turba ſtupet.
Ergo patronatu tam doctæ Principis aucta
Oras nullius gentis, & ora timet.
Talliſium, Birdumque ſuos teſtata parentes
Audacter quo non ore canenda venit.

# SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPI

## ELIZABETHAE DEI GRATIA ANGLIÆ, FRANCIÆ

& Hiberniæ Reginæ &c. virtutis & vitæ fortunatum progressum.



*SI nobis res esset, Serenissima Princeps, vel cum iis, qui artem Musicam, quia non norunt, non probant, vel cum iis, qui ipsi iudicio ex arte carentes eius præstantiam admirabili sonorum effectu metiuntur: Philosophos, Mathematicos, Rerumpub. architectos aduocaremus, qui eius necessarium Reipub. vsum argumentis & experiẽtia, vel infensissimo Musici nominis hosti extorquerent: Poëtas & allegoricè docẽtes quosdam Physicos citaremus, qui apud homines imperitos illos quidẽ, sed incredibili tamen rei Musicæ admiratione delinitos facile impetrarent, cum ea arte nullam esse aliam quæ de principatu possit contendere. Sed cum apud tuam Maiestatem res agatur quæ delectu tuo iudicium tuũ prodidisti, & canendi peritiã tibi probari, in eo probas omnibus, quod ei arti ita semper regiè incubueris, vt in ea iam egregiè profeceris, & cum summis artificibus comparata, vel vocis elegantia, vel digitorum agilitate facile illis præmineas, satis erit in tua solius scientia & iudicio conquiescere, neque pluribus ad fidem rei faciendam argumentis vti, ne vel dubitando suspicionẽ ementitæ laudis videamur alicui ingenerare, vel nimis curiosa argumentatione, aliquid de tuæ Maiestatis præstantis iudicio detrahere, quasi vel parum considerate eam primo cõplexa fueris vel iam de priori sentẽtia vacillare cœperis, cui si nostrã operã probamus, omnibus eam probatã iri cõfidimus, cũ iudicio tuo ab omnibus tãtum tribuatur. Qua itaque es peritia, Illustrissima Princeps, ad tuam Maiestatem, vt iudicem confugimus, qua clementia vt ad patronam nos recipimus, quæ prolem hanc nostram tua auctoritate sic apud omnes tueare, vt nos ipsos liberalissimo tuo stipendio hactenus aluisti. Confidentiæ nostræ ignoscet Serenissima Maiestas tua, quòd tantam Principem sic ausi simus interpellare, cum è solo voluntatis tuæ testimonio pendeat, debeamus nè vlterius in hoc genere progredi, an hoc vno libro labores nostros terminare. Deus. opt. Max. Maiestatem tuam diu, incolumiter, fortunatè nobis conseruet.*

TVÆ MAIESTATIS
humillimi Seruientes. Tho.
Tall. & Guil. Birdus.


T. V.

# IN MVSICAM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI.
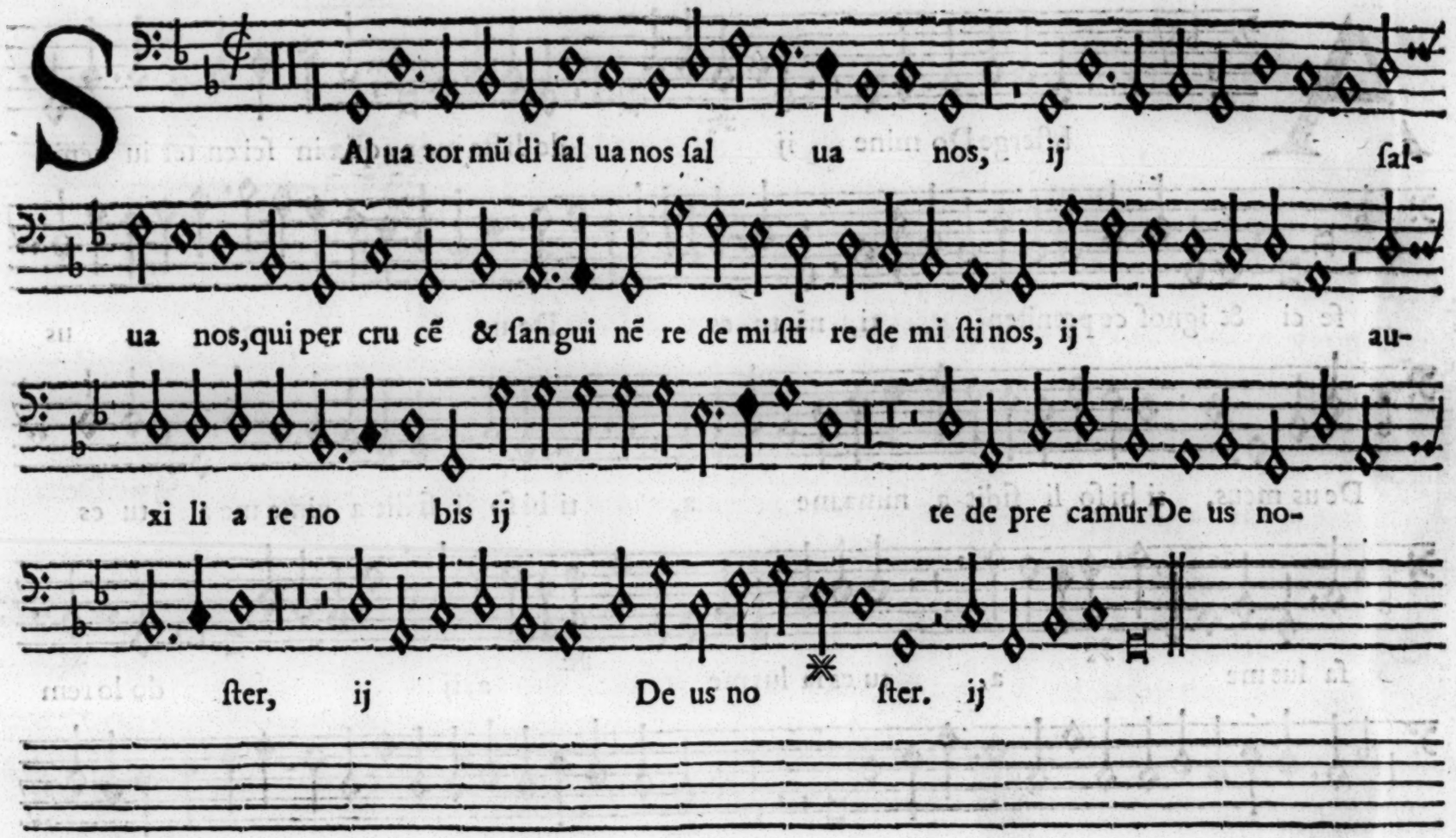
*QVanti sit precij res Musica, quamq; regendis*
*Insanis animi motibus apta, docent,*
*Qui numeros formæ sedem cuiuslibet esse,*
*E quibus efficitur Musica forma, docent.*
*Quid? quod nemo docet, quonam Respublica pacto*
*Formanda, & quonam prima iuuenta modo,*
*Quin idem doceat, primam quod Musica sedem*
*Obtineat, primo sitq; docenda loco.*
*Quid? quòd & insignes medici, qui sana valere*
*Corpora, & à morbis antè tuenda docent.*
*Hæc duo commendant nobis, vt corpora motus*
*Conseruet, mentem Musica sana regat.*
*Cum medicis, & philosophis annosa vetustas*
*Conspirans hanc est tota secuta viam.*
*Sed neque posteritas, quacum nunc viuimus, illam*
*Non probat, aut à se prorsus abire iubet,*
*Quamuis certa loci, & rerum discrimina ponat,*
*In quibus hanc nimiam non placet esse sibi.*
*Hoc tamen obtinuit communi Musica iure,*
*Vt quò quisque sapit rectius, ornet eam.*
*Hoc etiam obtinuit, quo summo iure triumphet,*
*Quo viuet, quamuis cætera mortis erunt,*
*Regia Maiestas ætatis gloria nostræ*
*Hanc in delicijs semper habere solet.*
*Nec contenta graues aliorum audire labores*
*Ipsa etiam egregiè voce manuq; canit.*
*Hanc aliæ gentes, vt eam vel semper amarunt,*
*Ausæ sunt scriptis nobilitare suis.*
*Illustres animæ, quia, quæ cecinere scienter,*
*Non inuiderunt omnibus illa cani.*
*Harum nostra prius magnos mirata labores*
*Anglia, sed semper passa latere suos,*
*Tallisium, Birdumq; duces iam nacta lubenter,*
*Quæ peperit, patitur pignora luce frui:*
*Atque per externas gentes, quæ gratia prælo,*
*Iudicio artificum discutienda vehi.*
*Tantum illis tribuit, quos primos deligit, vt sic,*
*Iudicio patriæ siquid honoris inest,*
*Nomen honoratum sibi promereatur vterq;*
*Musica quà magnum peruia nomen habet,*
*Quorum iudicio fidens se pandit apertè*
*Musica, quam Oceani Regia dines alit.*
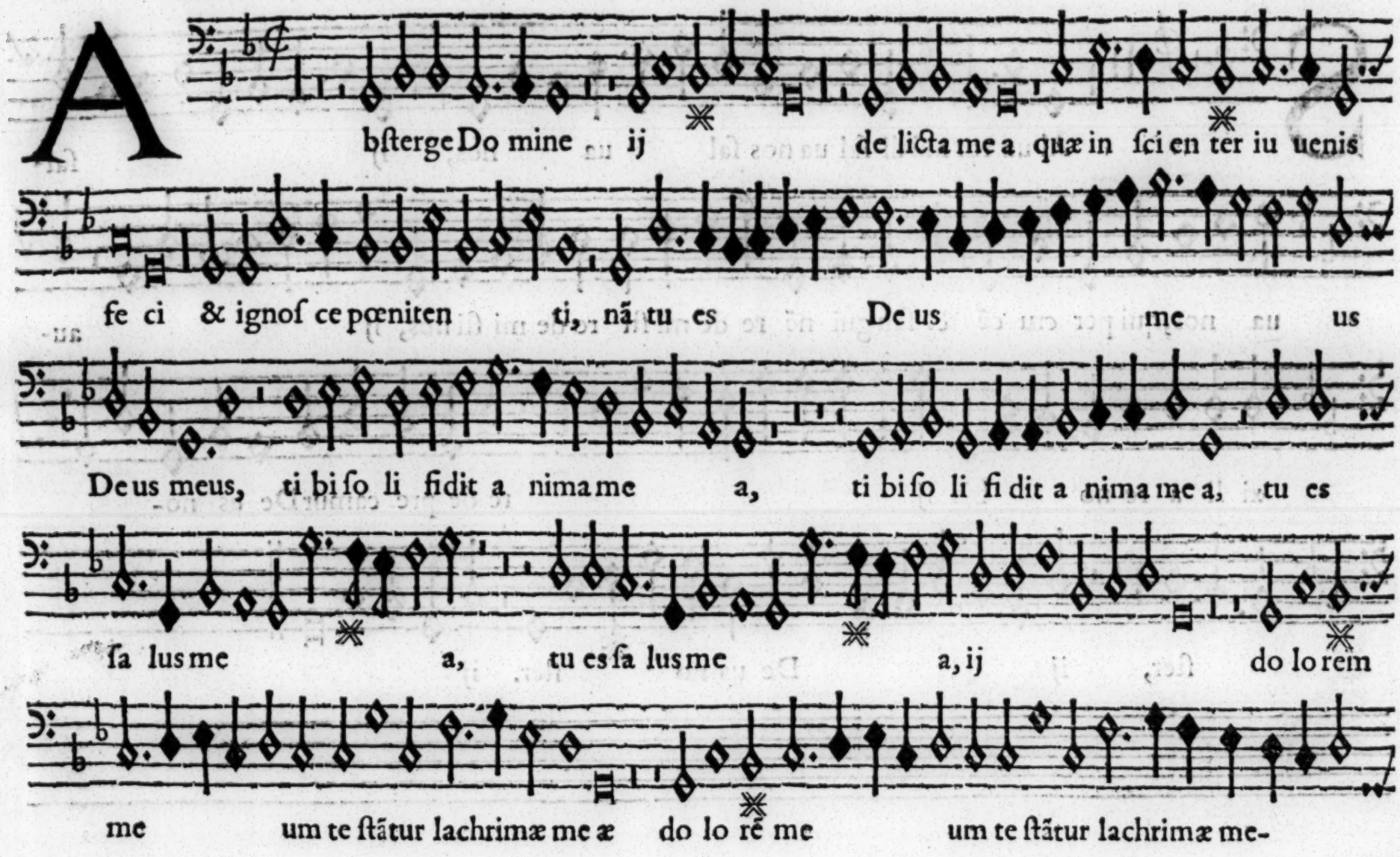
Richardus Mulcasterus.

# IN EANDEM THOMAE TALLISII, ET GVILIELMI BIRDI MVSICAM.

Extera quos genuit tellus, cum nominis alma
Musica præcones cerneret esse sui,
Illorumque opera per summa cacumina laudum
Se celebrem vulgo conueniente vehi:
Orlandum numeros diuina voce sonare,
Edere & immensæ posteritatis opus,
Suauia Gombardum modulamina fundere dulcem,
Clementem placidos concinuisse modos,
Temporis Alphonsum nostri Phænica creare
Carmina, quæ Phœbus vendicet esse sua:
Denique nominibus plena omnia talibus, Anglum
In nullo impressum nomen habere libro.
Penè subirasci cœpit, nostrosque Britannos
Indignos donis insimulare suis.
Quos certò scierat multum potuisse canendo,
Miratur nullos edere velle libros.
Cuius cum cuperent tristem finire querelam,
Tallisius magno dignus honore senex,
Et Birdus tantum natus decorare magistrum,
Promittunt posthac non fore, vt ante fuit.
Cudendosque suos cantus, sua carmina curant,
Illa aliorum oculis passus vterque legi.
Quæ quo iudicio sint edita, iudicet ille,
Qui cum iudicio, quæ legit, illa legit.
Certè ego, si pueris rudibus censura daretur,
Diuino auderem dicere nata stylo,
Dignaque quæ toto circumferrentur in orbe,
Anglia quò ciues iactitet esse suos
Hæc habui, venerande senex, mihi magne magister,
Danda tibi mentis conscia signa meæ.
Hæc habui, iuuenis nostræ spes altera gentis,
Quæ fundo in laudem carmina nata tuam.
Communemque mihi tecum sic orno magistrum
Carmine, vt Harmonici tu potes arte modi.
Quod si quando mihi dederit diuina voluntas,
Musica cum linguis iungere vt arma queam,
Nulla voluntatis deerit pars debita nostræ,
Quin debere mihi se quoque Musa putet.
Interea, mihi dum succrescit longior ætas,
Hæc vobis animi sint bona signa boni.

*Ferdinandus Richardsonus.*


Al ua tor mũ di ſal ua nos ſal ua nos, ij ſal-
ua nos, qui per cru cẽ & ſan gui nẽ re de mi ſti re de mi ſti nos, ij au-
xi li a re no bis ij te de pre camur De us no-
ſter, ij De us no ſter. ij


Absterge Domine ij de licta mea quæ in sci enter iu uenis
fe ci & ignosce pœniten ti, nã tu es De us me us
Deus meus, ti bi so li fidit a nima me a, ti bi so li fi dit a nima me a, tu es
sa lus me a, tu es sa lus me a, ij do lorem
me um te stãtur lachrimæ me æ do lo rẽ me um te stãtur lachrimæ me-

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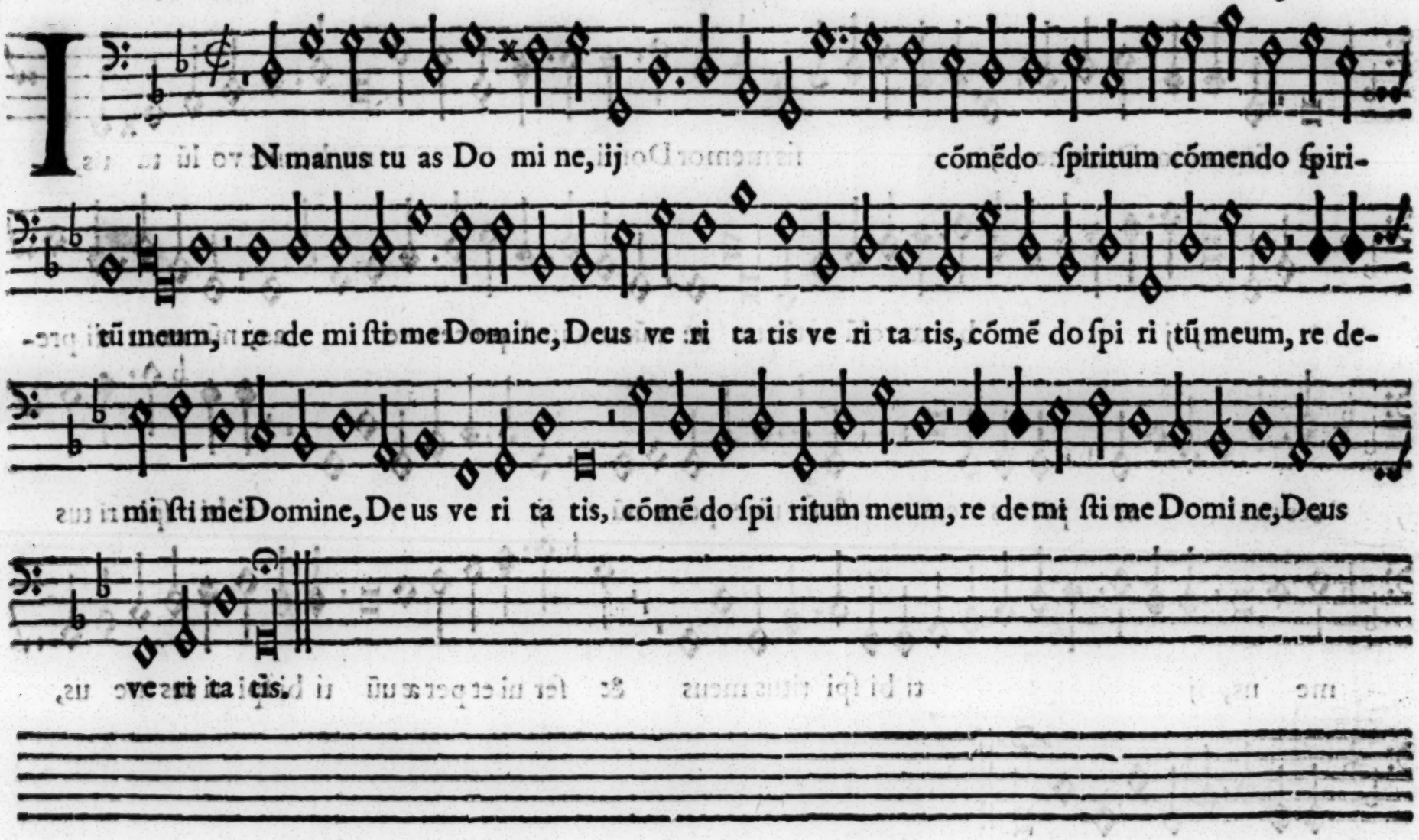
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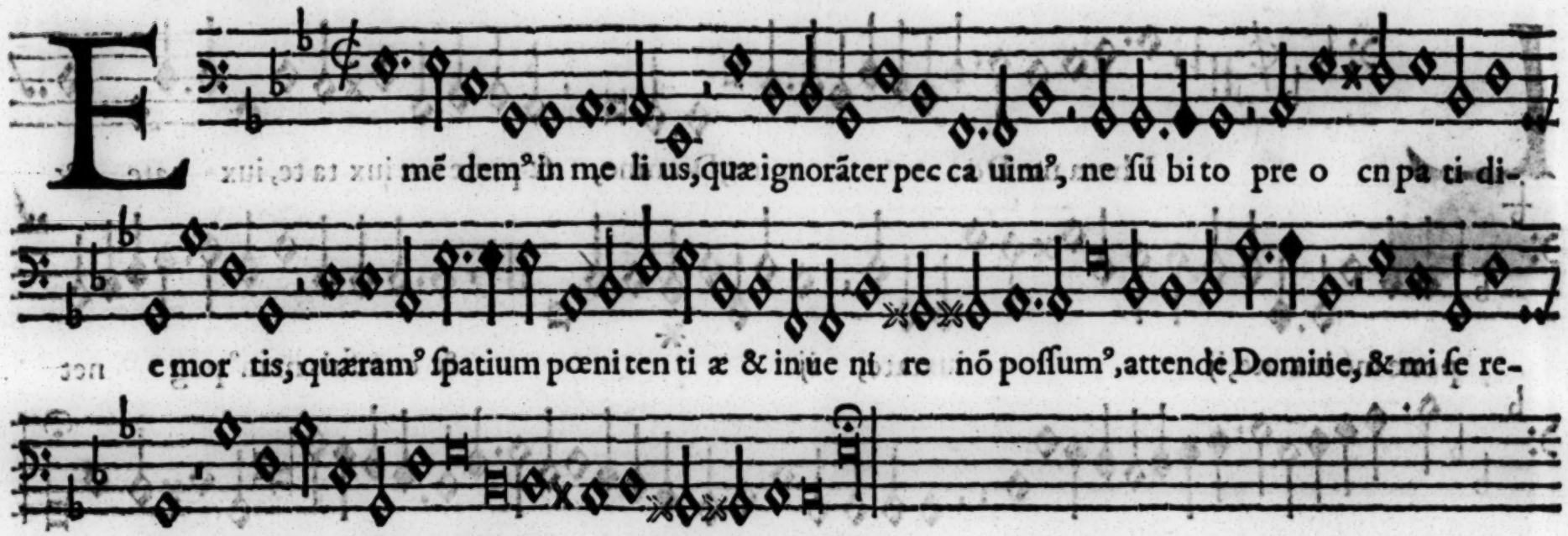
æ, ij bonæ volũ ta tis tu æ: nũc e xau di preces me as, nũc exau di pre-

ces me as preces meas & ſer ui et per æ uũ ij ti bi ſpi ri tus

me us, ij ti bi ſpi ritus meus & ſer ui et per æ uũ ti bi ſpi ri tus me us,

ti bi ſpiritus meus, Amen.


IN manus tu as Do mi ne, iij cõmẽdo ſpiritum cõmendo ſpiri-
tũ meum, re de mi ſti me Domine, Deus ve ri ta tis ve ri ta tis, cõmẽ do ſpi ri tũ meum, re de-
mi ſti me Domine, De us ve ri ta tis, cõmẽ do ſpi ritum meum, re de mi ſti me Domi ne, Deus
ve ri ta tis.




Emẽ demᵒ in me li us, quæ ignorãter pec ca uimᵒ, ne ſú bi to pre o cn pa ti di-
e mor tis, quæramᵒ ſpatium pœni ten ti æ & in ue ni re nõ poſſumᵒ, attende Domine, & mi ſe re-
re, qui a pecca uimᵒ ti bi qui a pec ca uimᵒ ti bi.

Ad iu ua nos Deus ſa lu taris noſter, & propter honorẽ no mi nis tu i, li be ra
nos li be ra nos ij li be ra nos.

L I bera me Do mine, Domine, & pone me iux ta te, iux tate &

pone me iuxtate, ij iuxtate, ij & cuiuſuis man° pug net
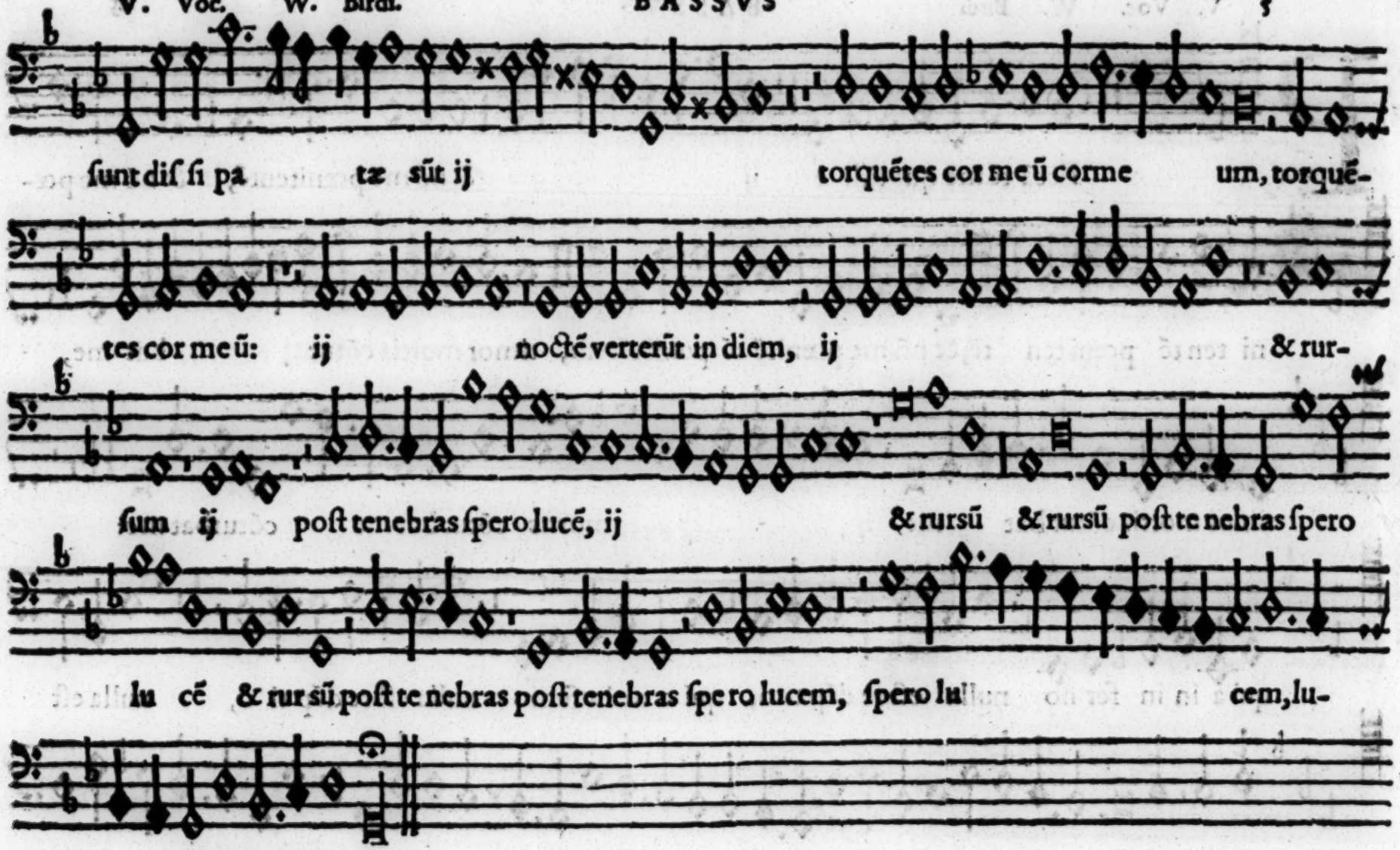
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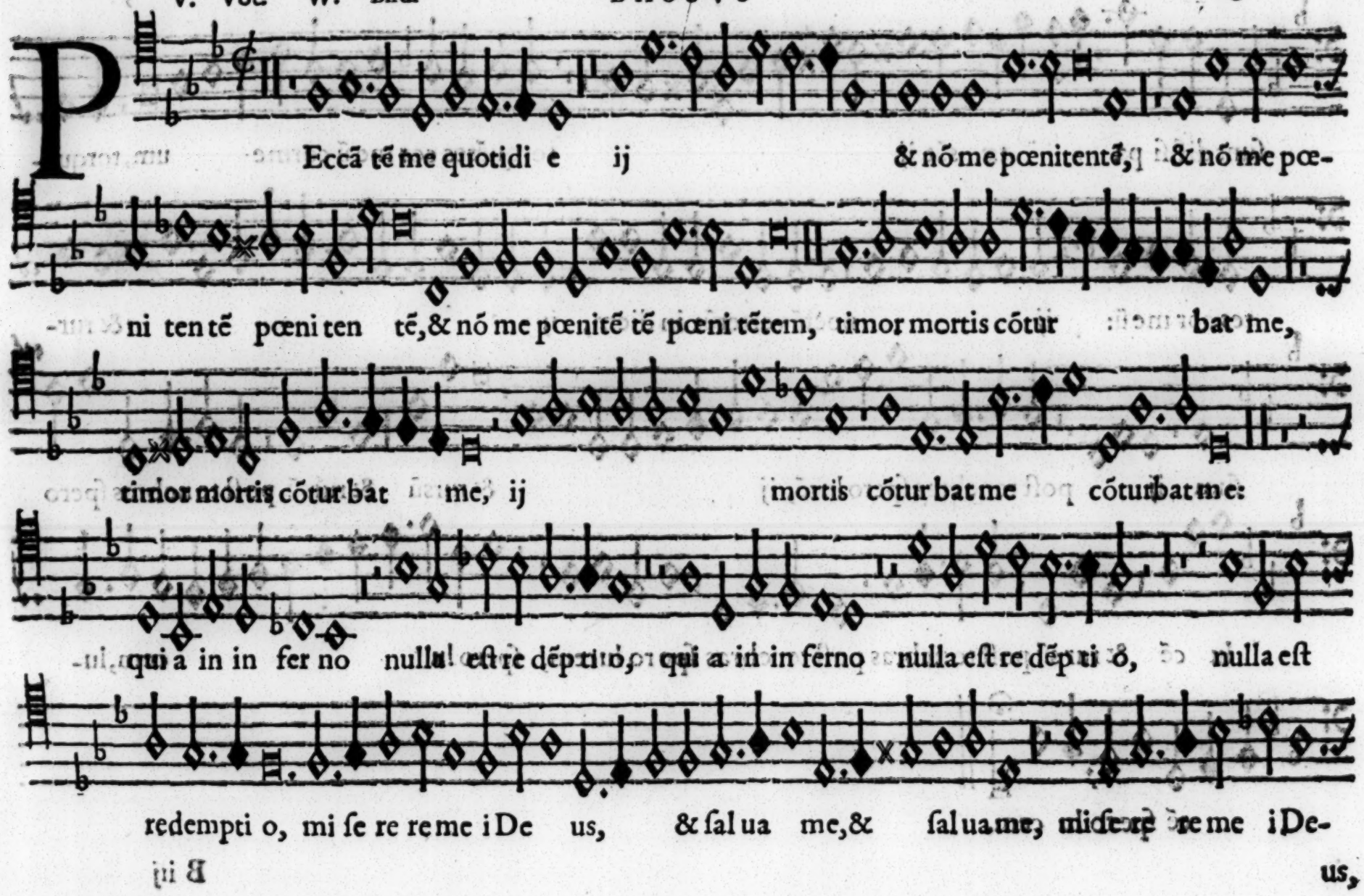
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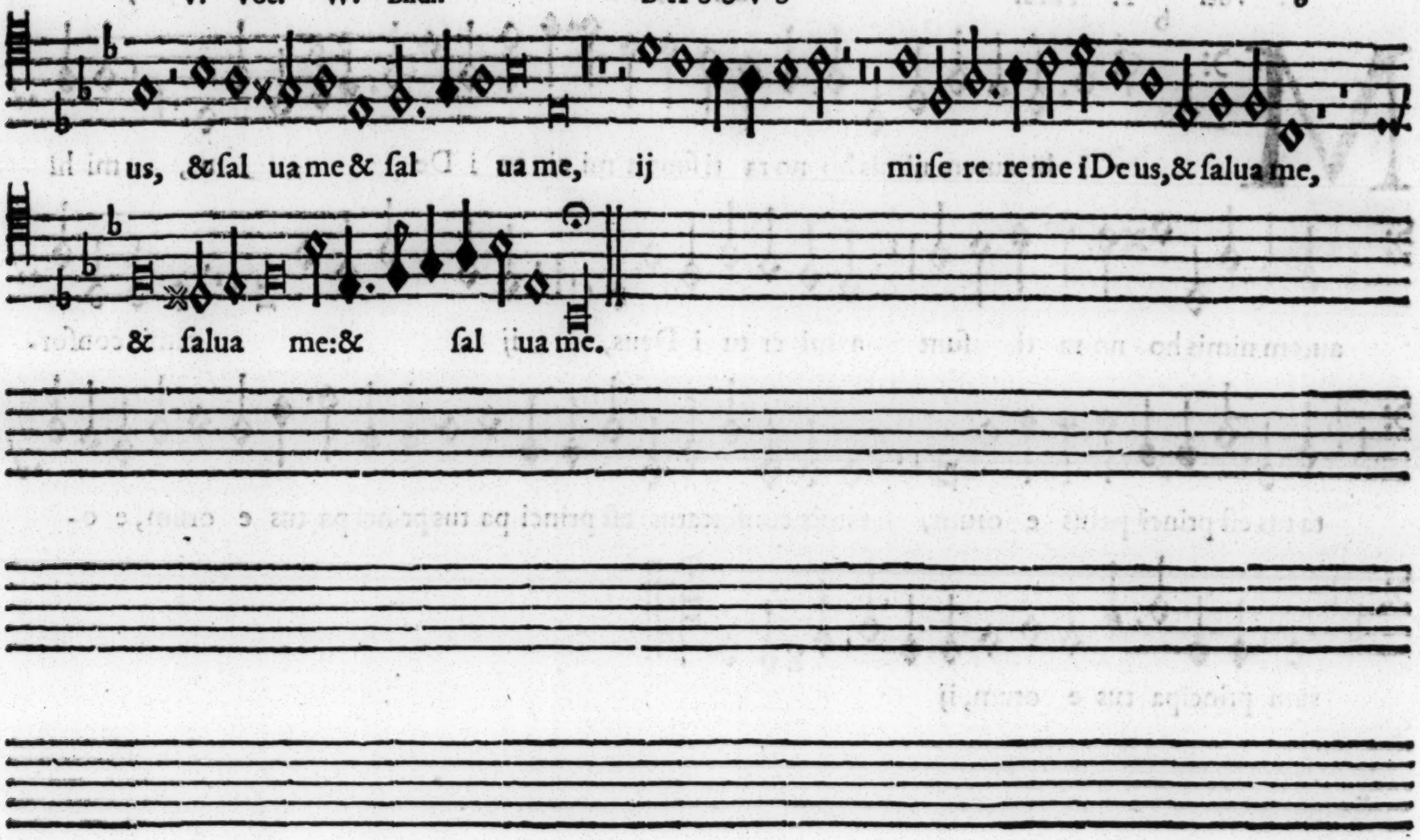
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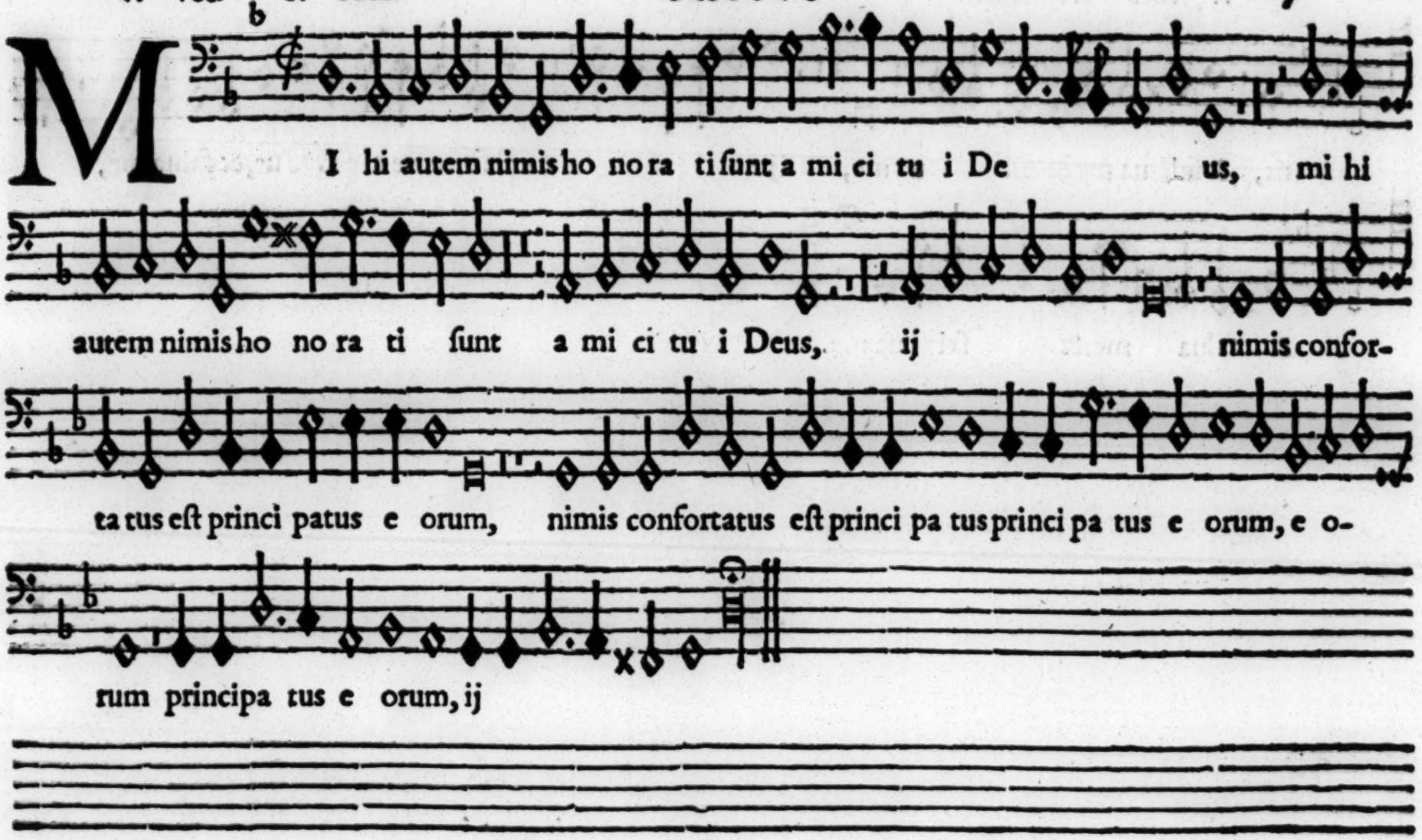
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ſunt diſ ſi pa tæ sũt ij torquẽtes cor me ũ corme um, torquẽ-
tes cor me ũ: ij noctẽ verterũt in diem, ij & rur-
ſum ij poſt tenebras ſpero lucẽ, ij & rursũ & rursũ poſt te nebras ſpero
lu cẽ & rur sũ poſt te nebras poſt tenebras ſpe ro lucem, ſpero lu cem, lu-
cẽ ſpero lu cem.


Eccã tẽ me quotidi e ij & nõ me pœnitentẽ, & nõ me pœ-
ni ten tẽ pœni ten tẽ, & nõ me pœnitẽ tẽ pœni tẽtem, timor mortis cõtur bat me,
timor mortis cõtur bat me, ij mortis cõtur bat me cõturbat me:
qui a in in fer no nulla eſt re dẽptiõ, qui a in in ferno nulla eſt re dẽptiõ, nulla eſt
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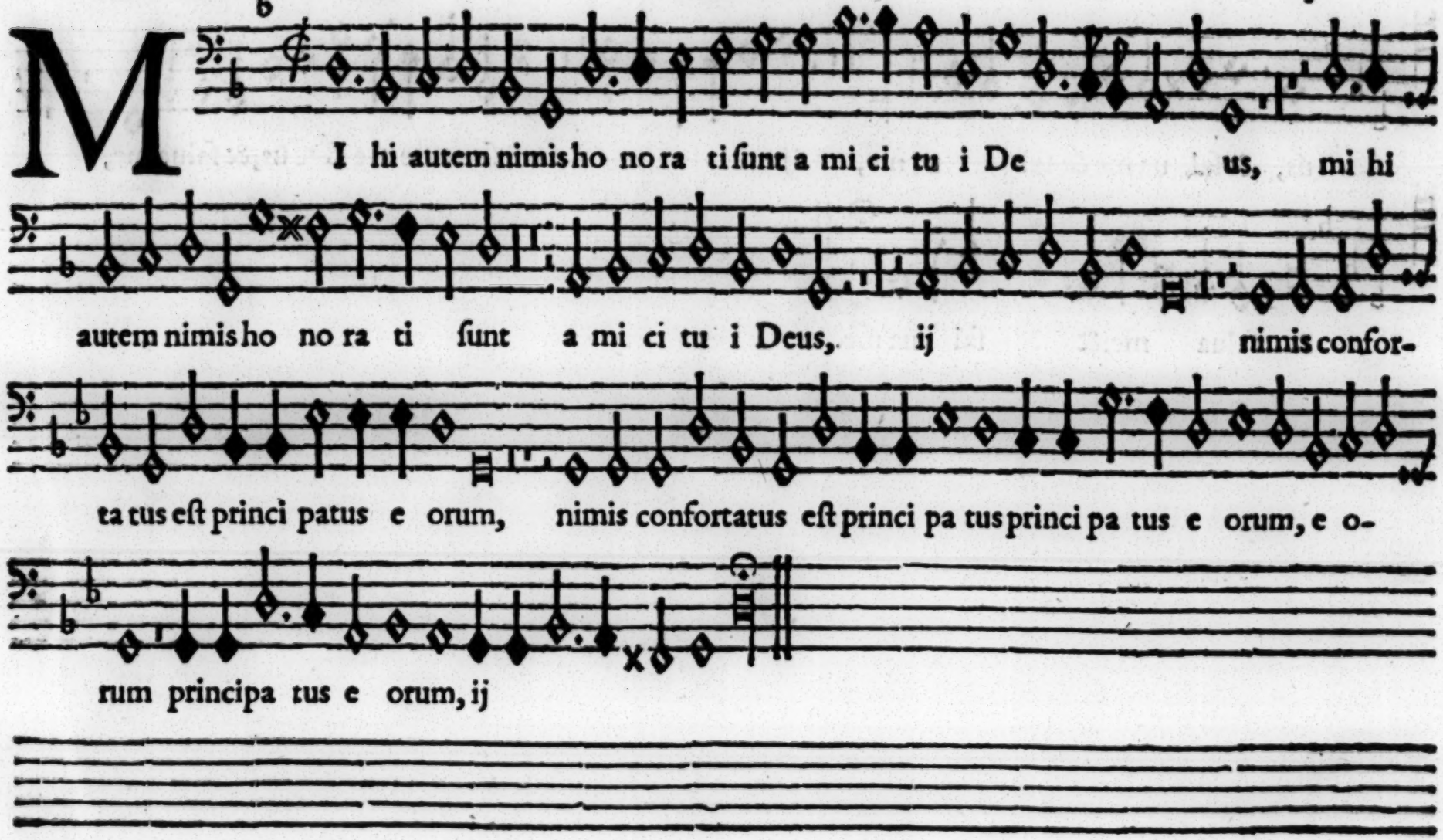

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& ſalua me: & ſal ua me.
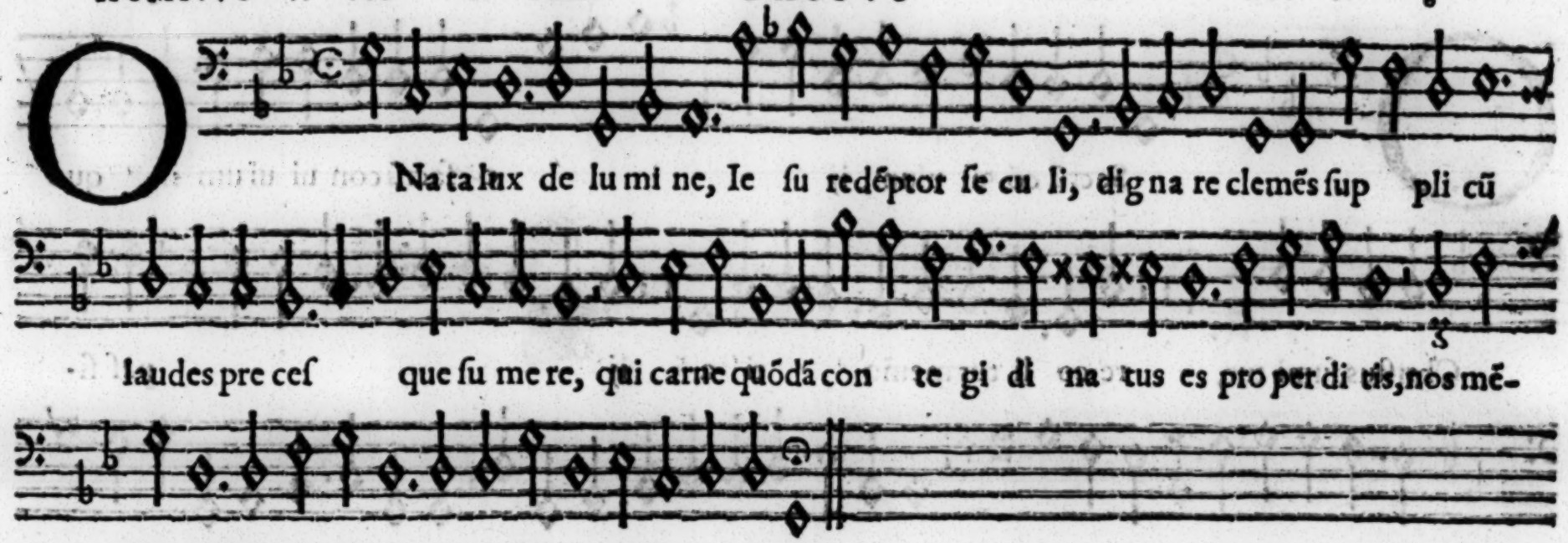

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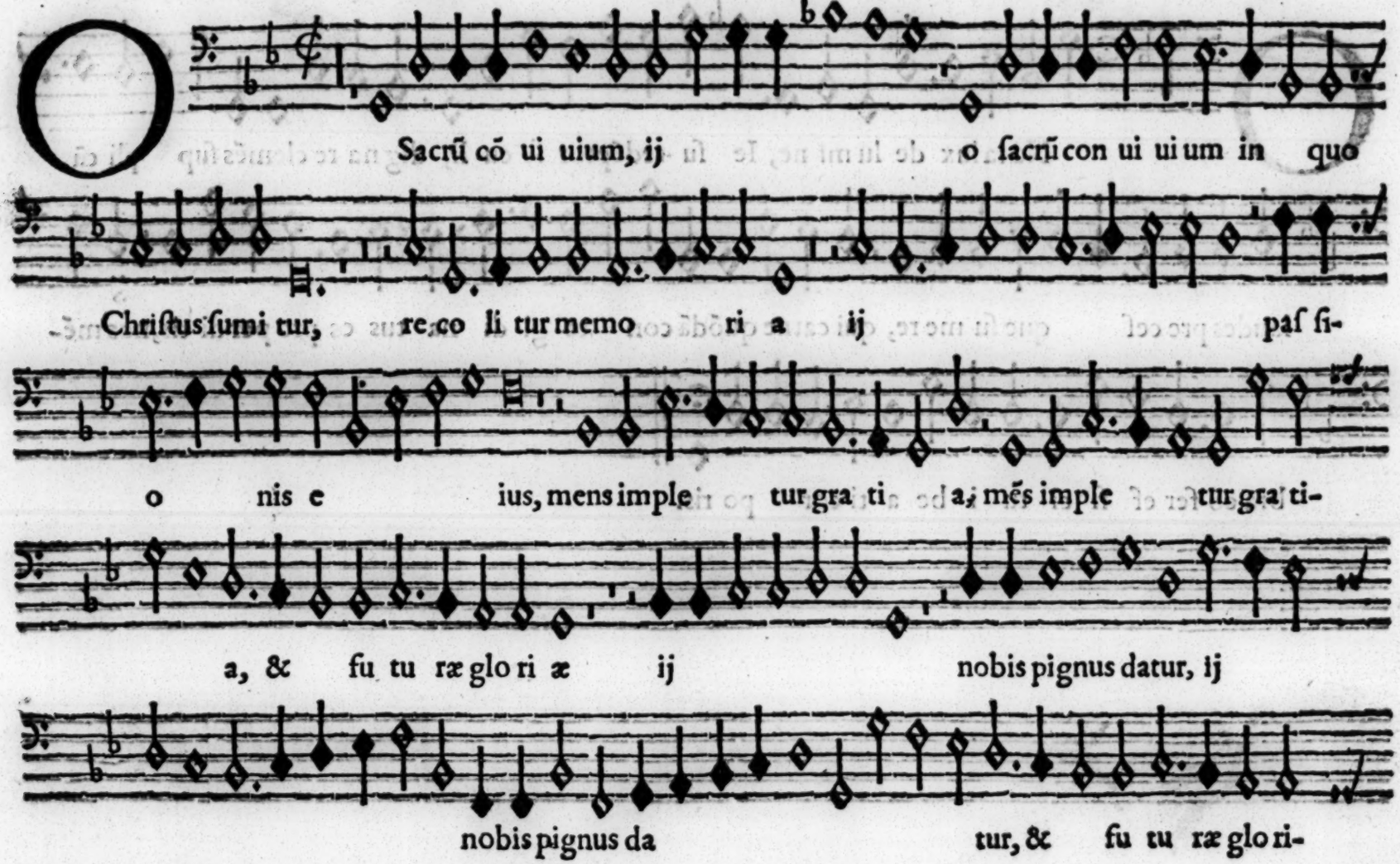
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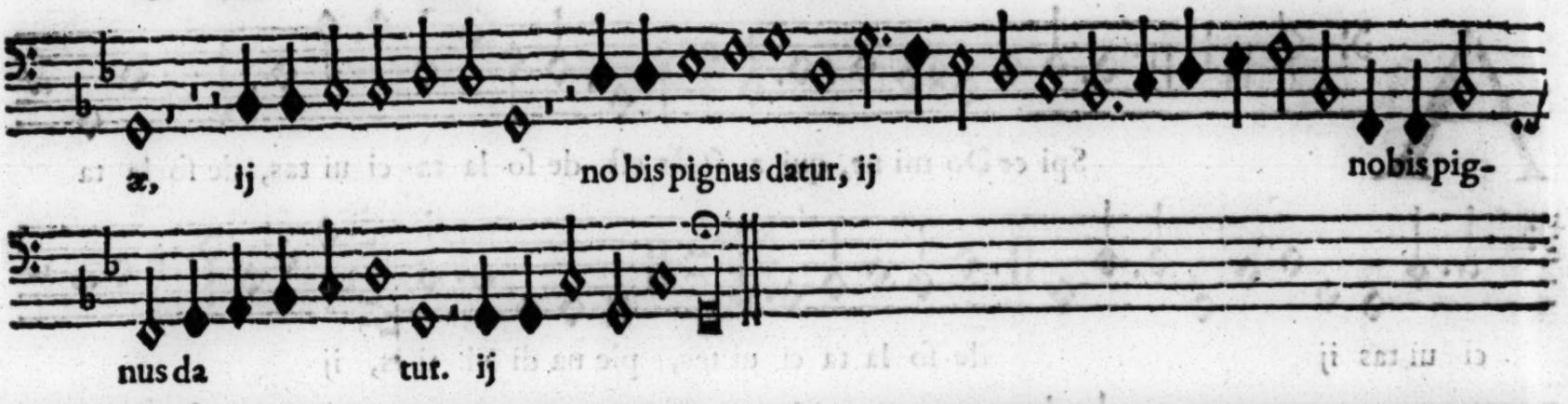
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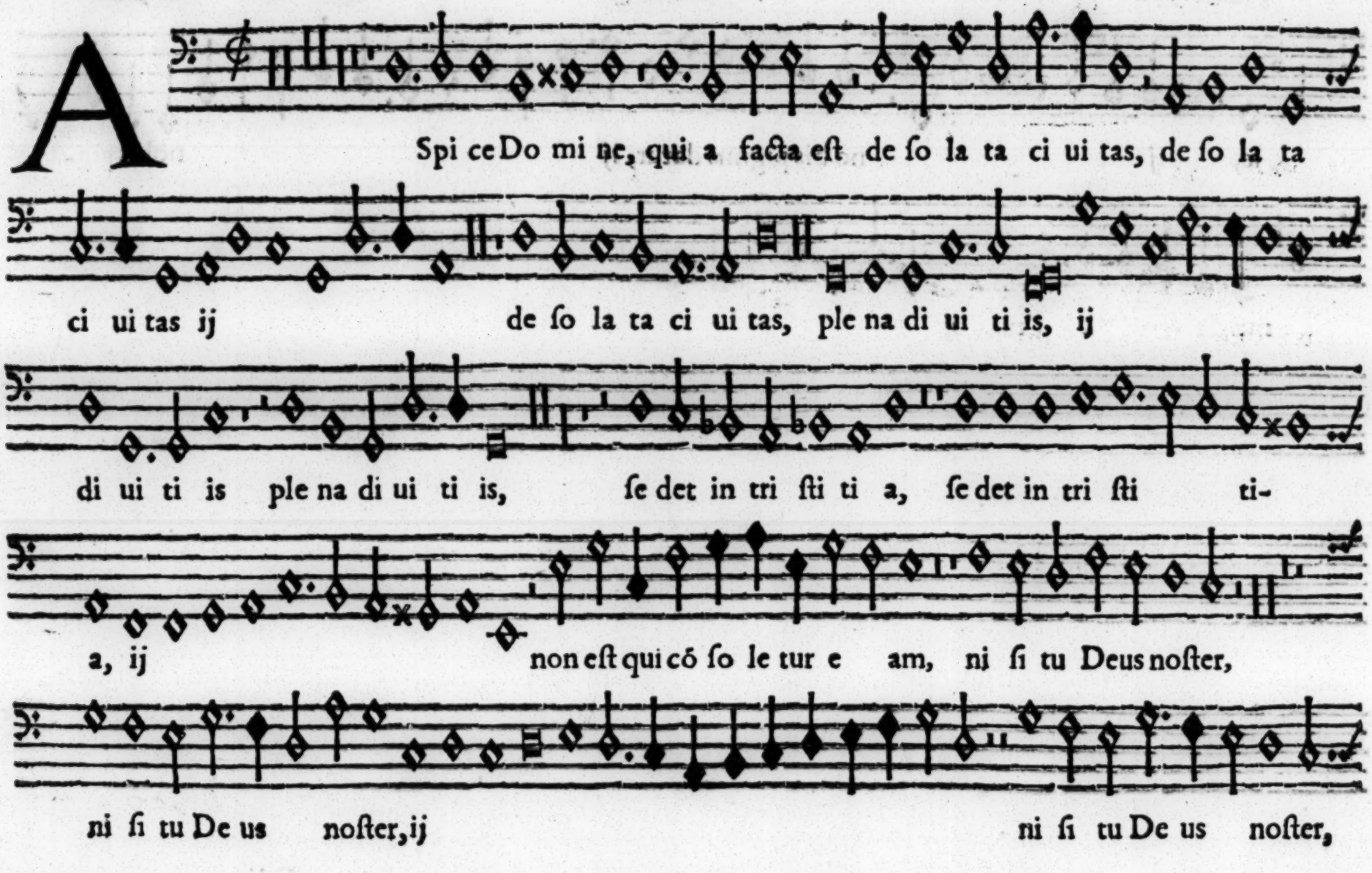
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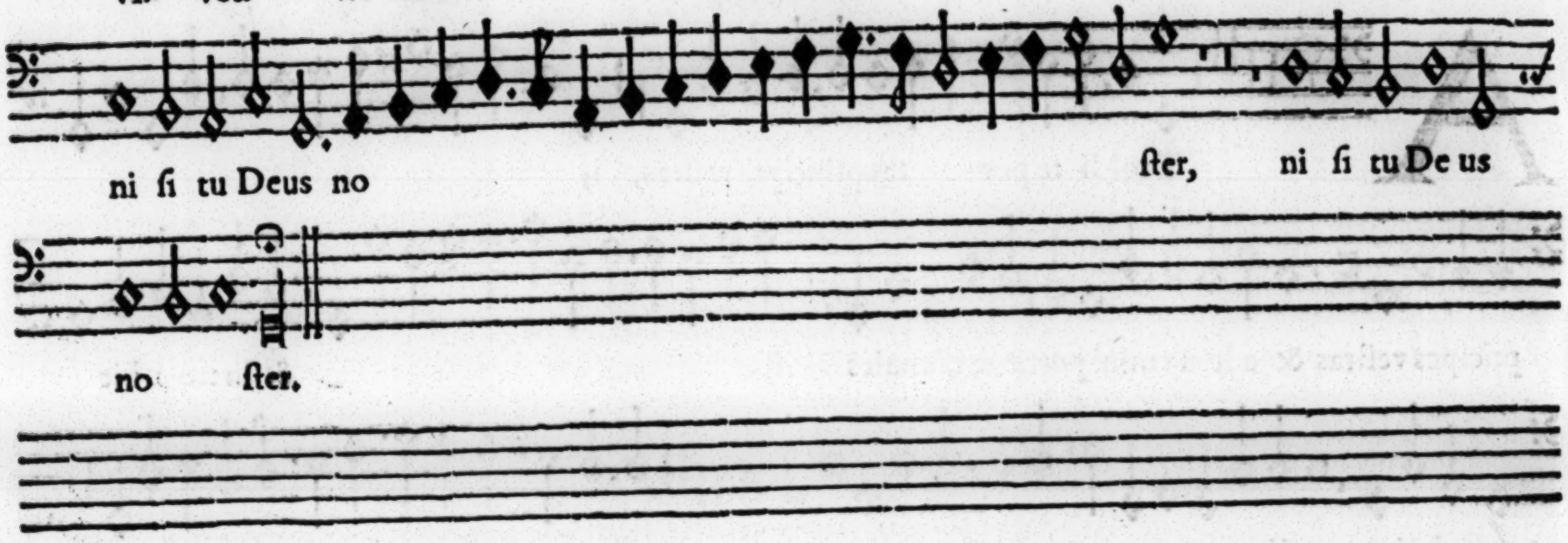

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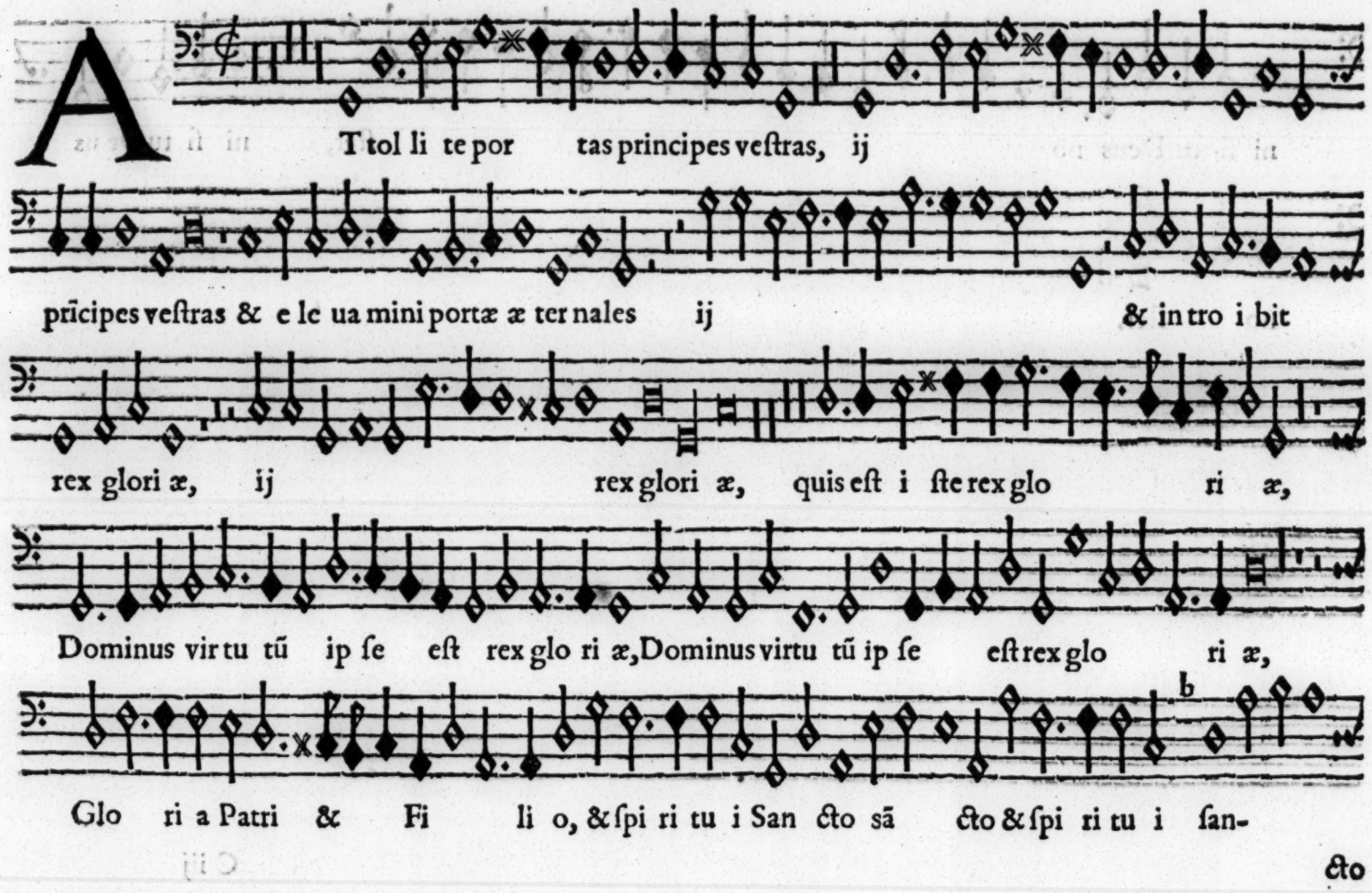

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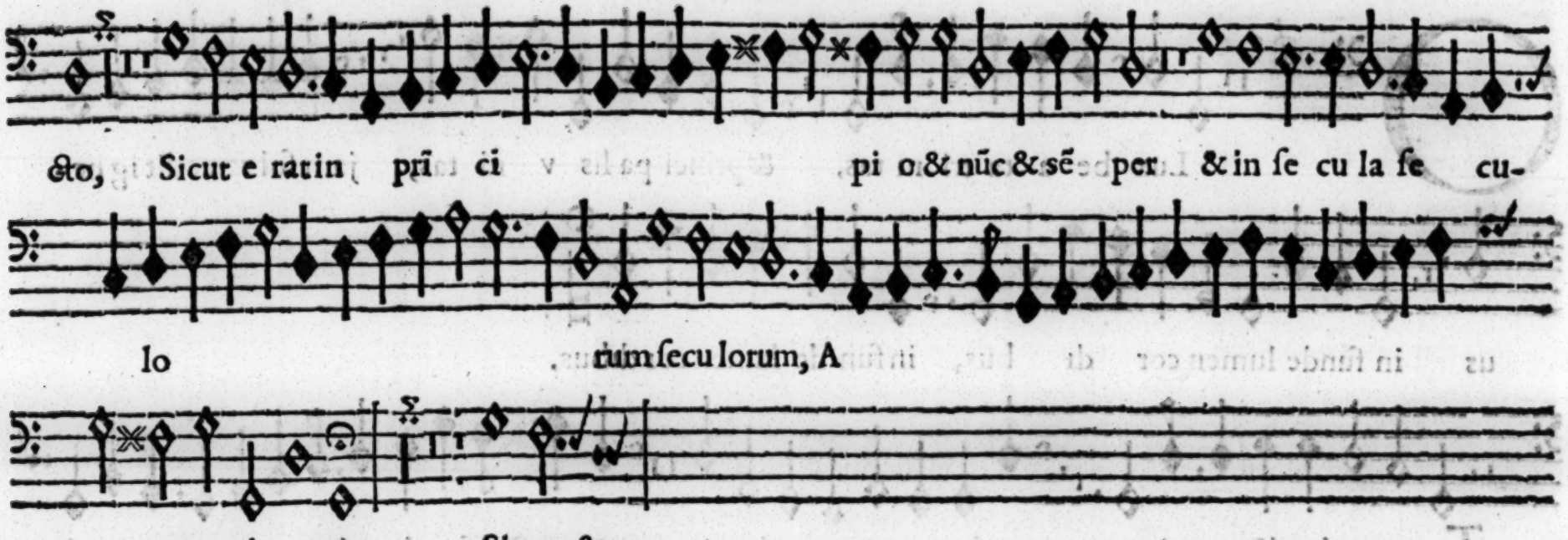

O Sacrũ cõ ui uium, ij o ſacrũ con ui ui um in quo
Chriſtus ſumi tur, re co li tur memo ri a ij paſ ſi-
o nis e ius, mens imple tur gra ti a, mẽs imple tur gra ti-
a, & fu tu ræ glo ri æ ij nobis pignus datur, ij
nobis pignus da tur, & fu tu ræ glo ri-


æ, ij
no bis pignus datur, ij
nobis pig-
nus da
tut. ij


A
Spi ce Do mi ne, qui a facta eſt de ſo la ta ci ui tas, de ſo la ta
ci ui tas ij de ſo la ta ci ui tas, ple na di ui ti is, ij
di ui ti is ple na di ui ti is, ſe det in tri ſti ti a, ſe det in tri ſti ti-
a, ij non eſt qui cõ ſo le tur e am, ni ſi tu Deus noſter,
ni ſi tu De us noſter, ij ni ſi tu De us noſter,


ni ſi tu Deus no
ſter, ni ſi tu De us
no ſter.


A
T tol li te por tas principes veſtras, ij
prīcipes veſtras & e le ua mini portæ æ ter nales ij & in tro i bit
rex glori æ, ij rex glori æ, quis eſt i ſte rex glo ri æ,
Dominus vir tu tũ ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ, Dominus virtu tũ ip ſe eſt rex glo ri æ,
Glo ri a Patri & Fi li o, & ſpi ri tu i San ćto sā ćto & ſpi ri tu i ſan-
ćto

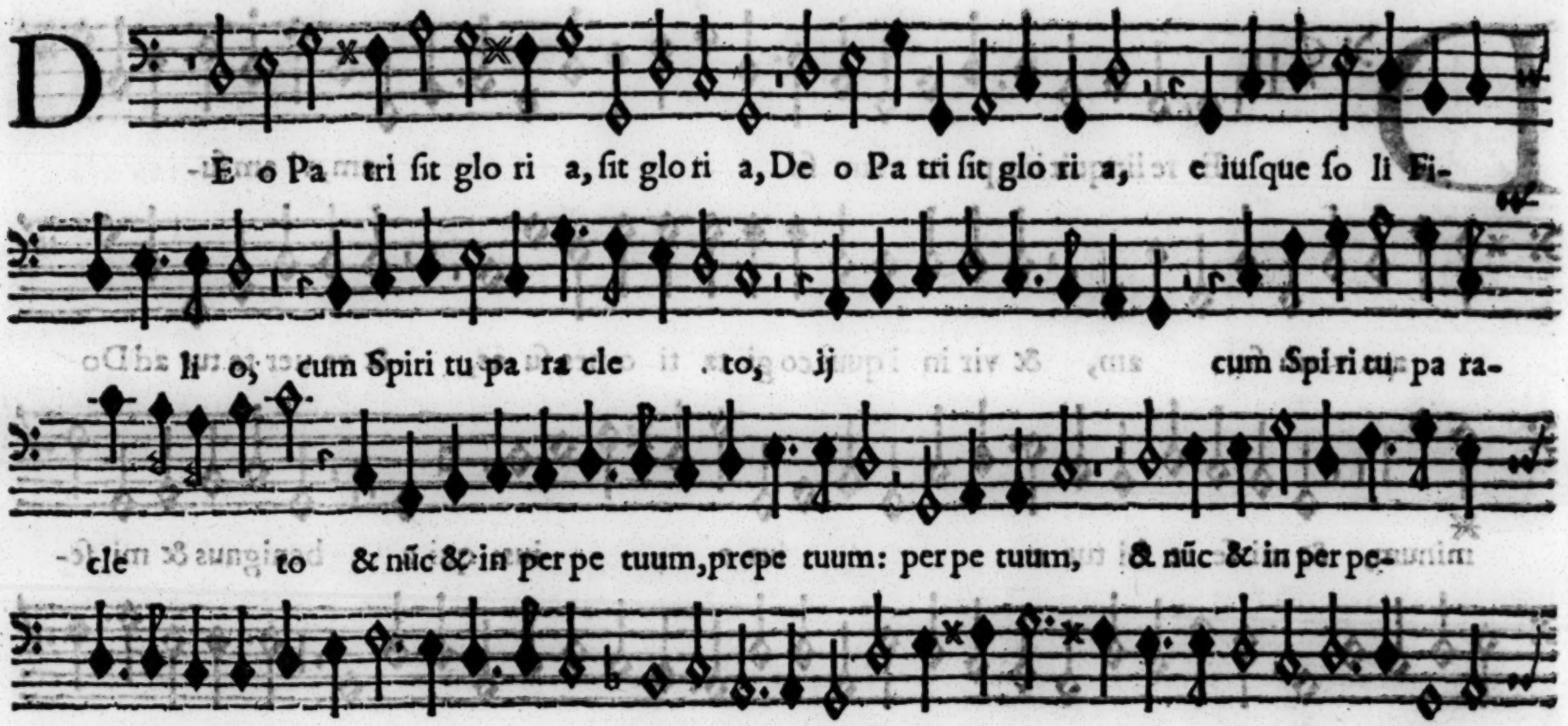

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lo rum secu lorum, A
men. A men. Si cut & c.
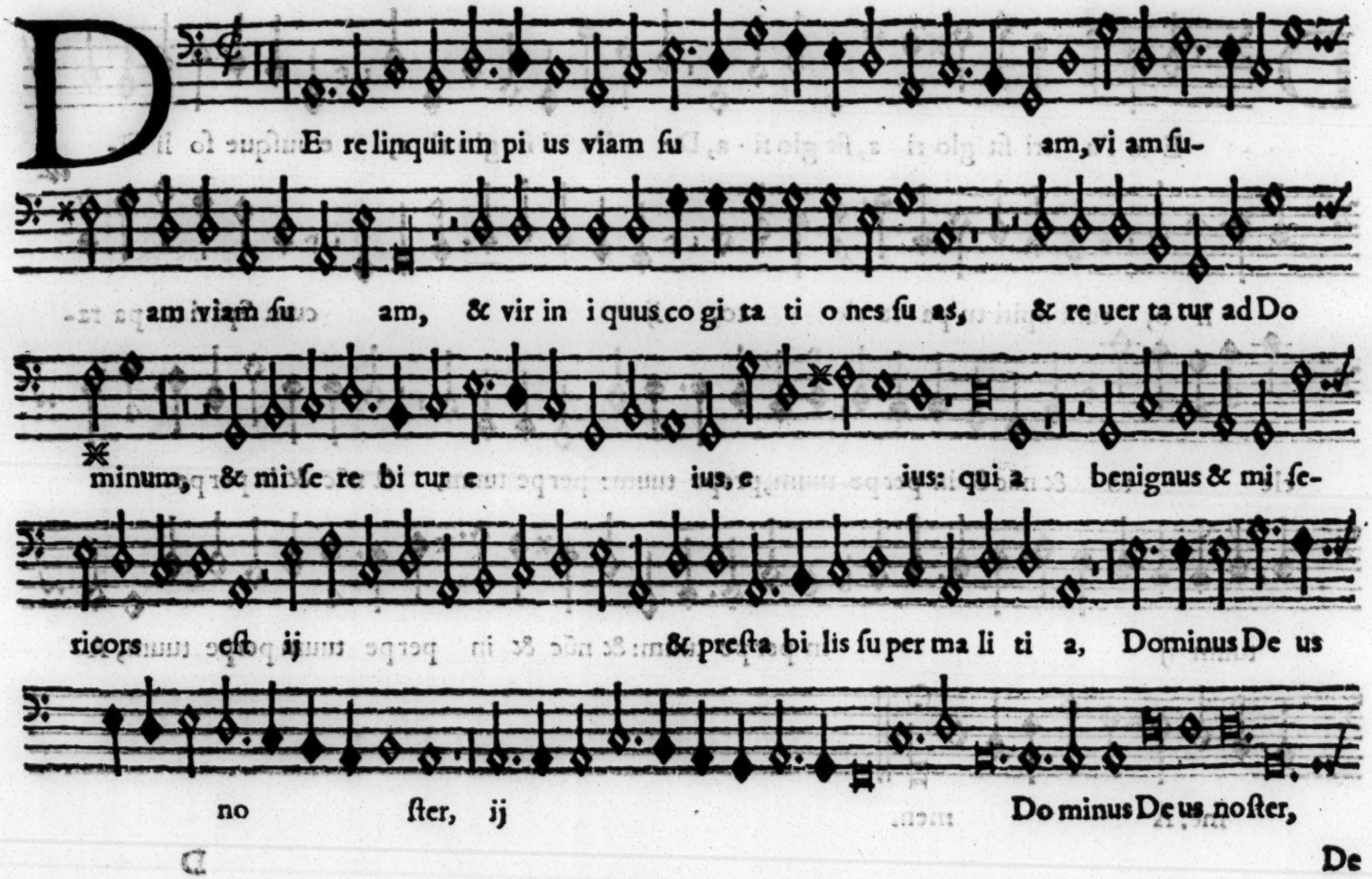
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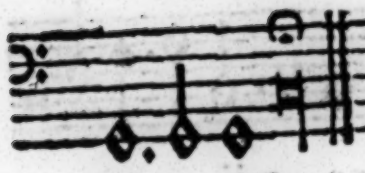
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Te mane laudũ car mi ne, te de precemur ve ſpe ri, te no ſtra ſupplex glo ri-

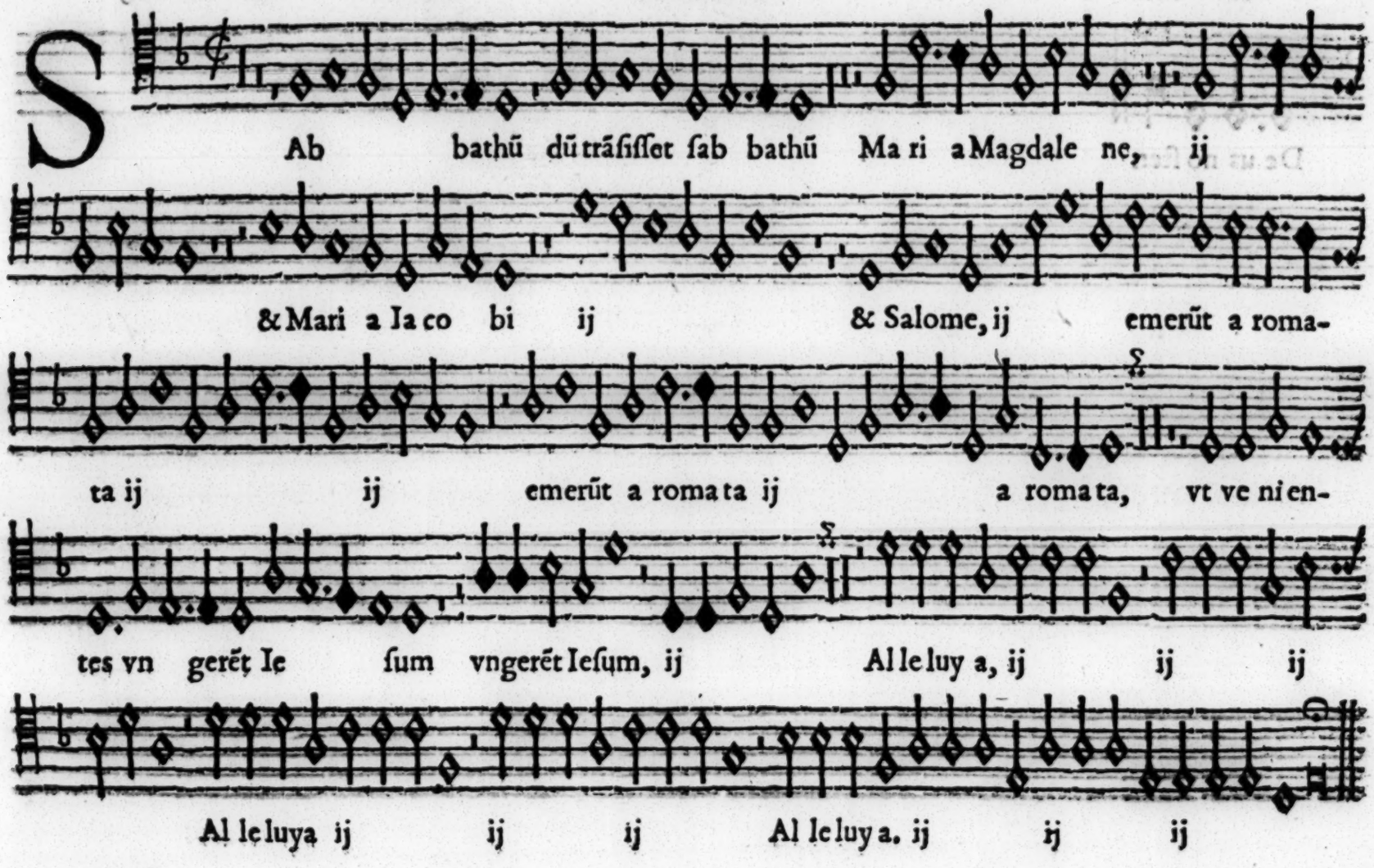
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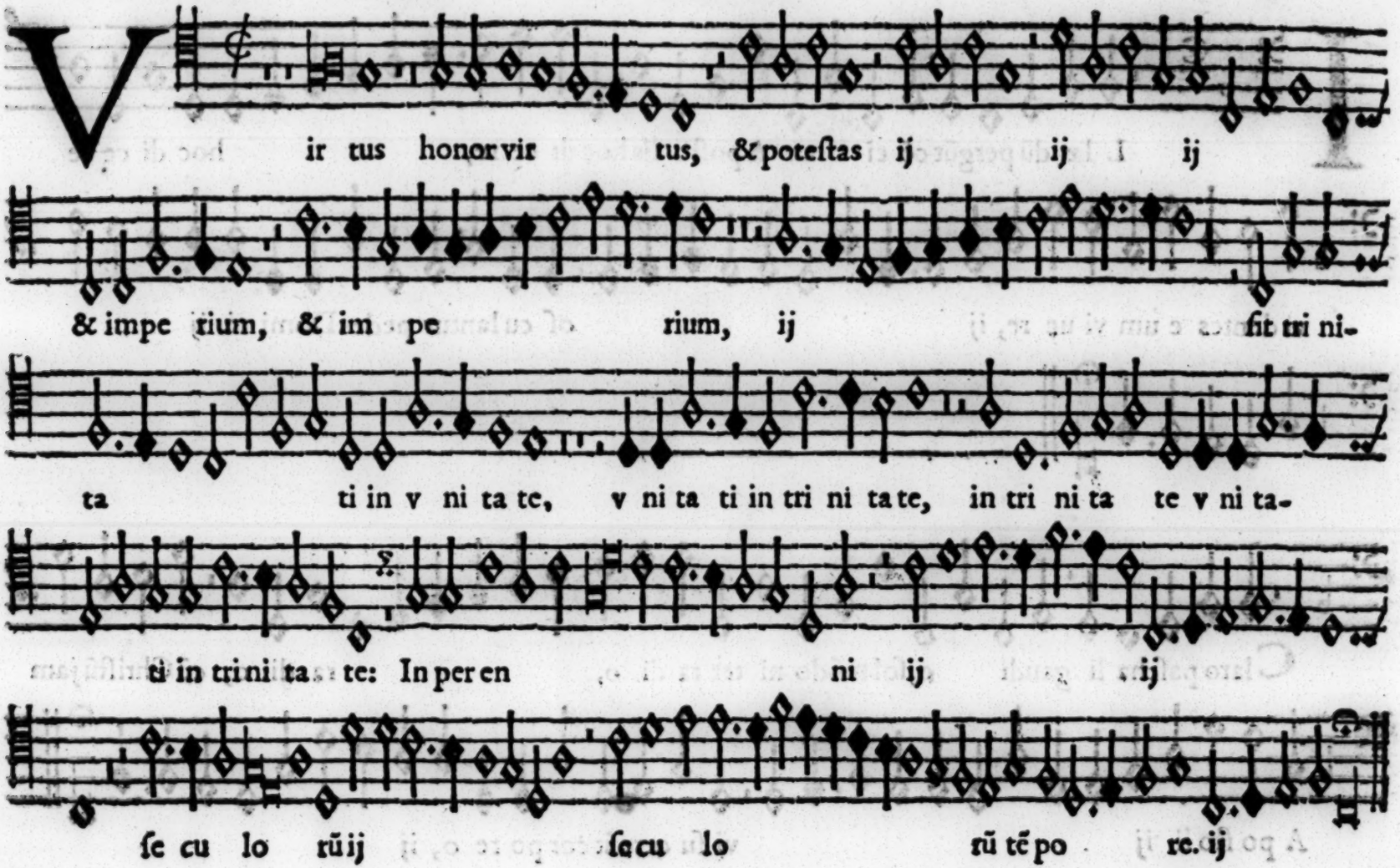

D
E o Pa tri sit glo ri a, sit glo ri a, De o Pa tri sit glo ri a, e iusque so li Fi-
li o, cum Spiri tu pa ra cle to, ij cum Spi ri tu pa ra-
cle to & nũc & in per pe tuum, prepe tuum: per pe tuum, & nũc & in per pe-
tuum ij in per pe tuum: & nũc & in per pe tuum per pe tuum, A-
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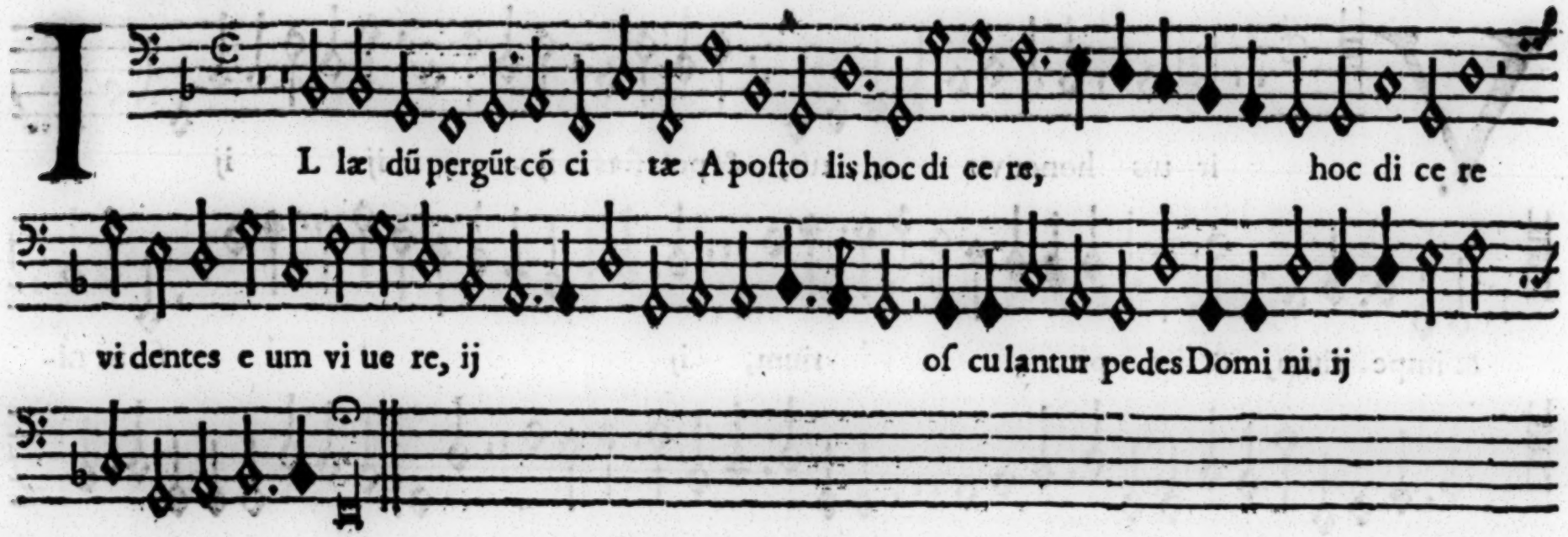

DE relinquit impi us viam ſu am, vi am ſu-
am viam ſu am, & vir in i quus co gi ta ti o nes ſu as, & re uer ta tur ad Do
minum, & mi ſe re bi tur e ius, e ius: qui a benignus & mi ſe-
ricors eſto ij & preſta bi lis ſu per ma li ti a, Dominus De us
no ſter, ij Do minus De us noſter,
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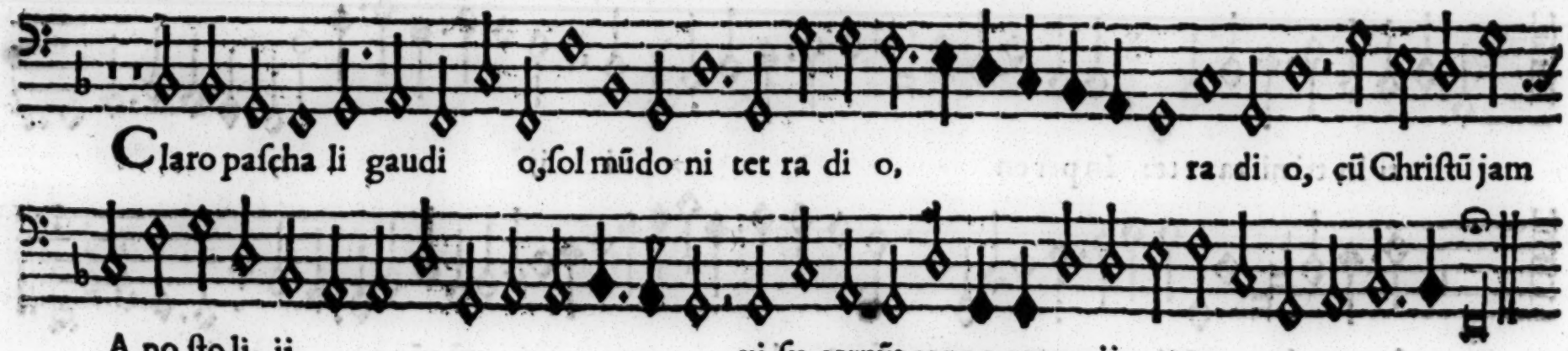


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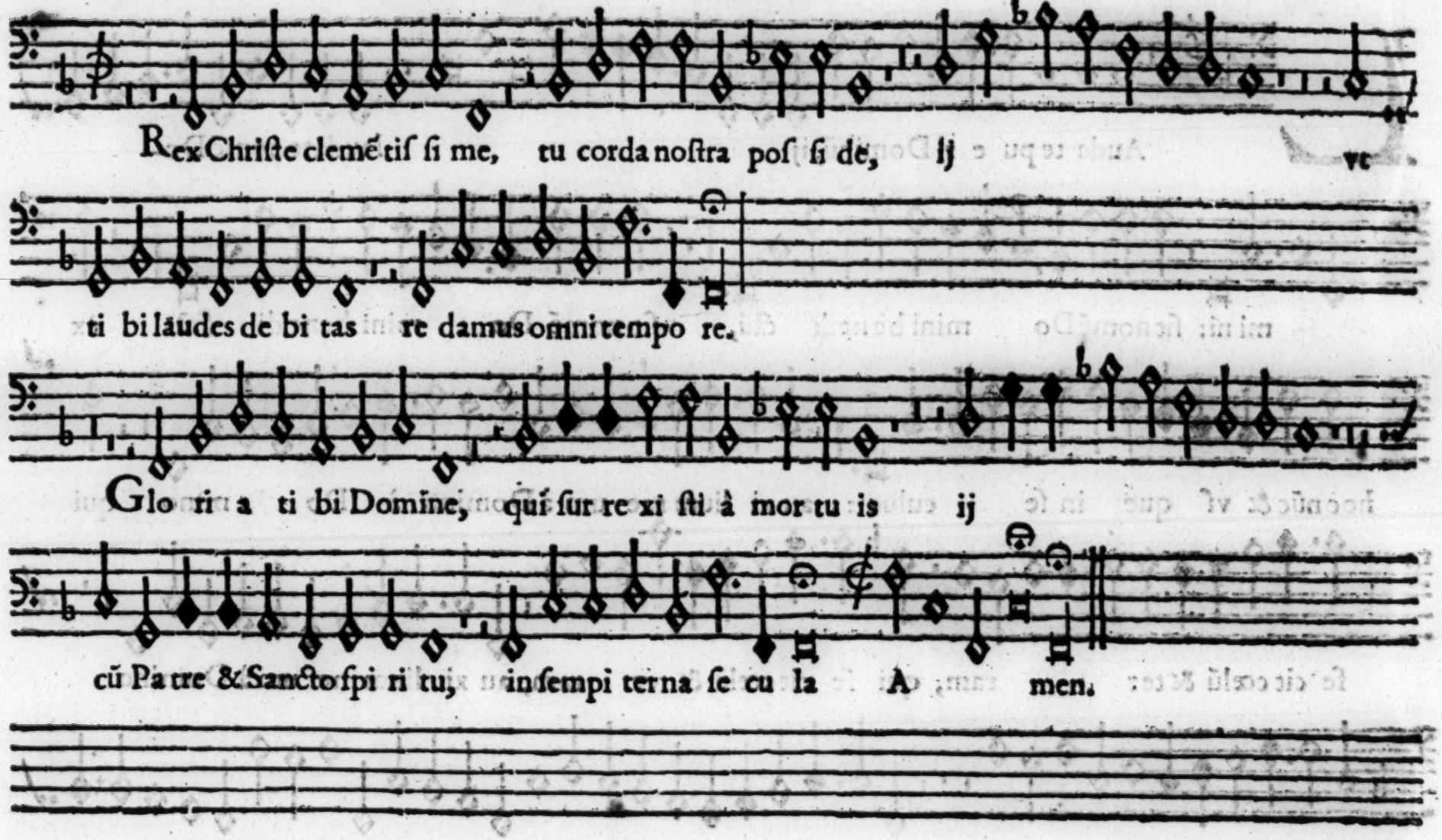

Sab bathũ dũ trãſiſſet ſab bathũ Ma ri a Magdale ne, ij
& Mari a Ia co bi ij & Salome, ij emerũt a roma-
ta ij ij emerũt a roma ta ij a roma ta, vt ve ni en-
tes vn gerẽt Ie ſum vngerẽt Ieſum, ij Al le luy a, ij ij ij
Al le luya ij ij ij Al le luy a. ij ij ij


Virtus honor virtus, & poteſtas ij ij ij
& impe rium, & im pe rium, ij ſit tri ni-
ta ti in v ni ta te, v ni ta ti in tri ni ta te, in tri ni ta te v ni ta-
ti in trini ta te: In per en ni ij ij
ſe cu lo rũij ſa cu lo rũ tẽ po re. ij


I
L læ dũ pergũt cõ ci tæ Apoſto lis hoc di ce re, hoc di ce re
vi dentes e um vi ue re, ij of culantur pedes Domi ni. ij


Claro paſcha li gaudi o, ſol mũdo ni tet ra di o, ra di o, cũ Chriſtũ jam
A po ſto li ij vi ſu cernũt cor po re o, ij

Rex


Rex Christe clemẽtiſſime, tu corda noſtra poſſide, ij
ti bi laudes de bi tas re damus omni tempo re.
Glo ri a ti bi Domine, quí ſur re xi ſti à mor tu is ij
cũ Pa tre & Sancto ſpi ri tu, in ſempi terna ſe cu la A men.

LAuda te pu e ri Dominũ, ij laudate nomẽ Do-
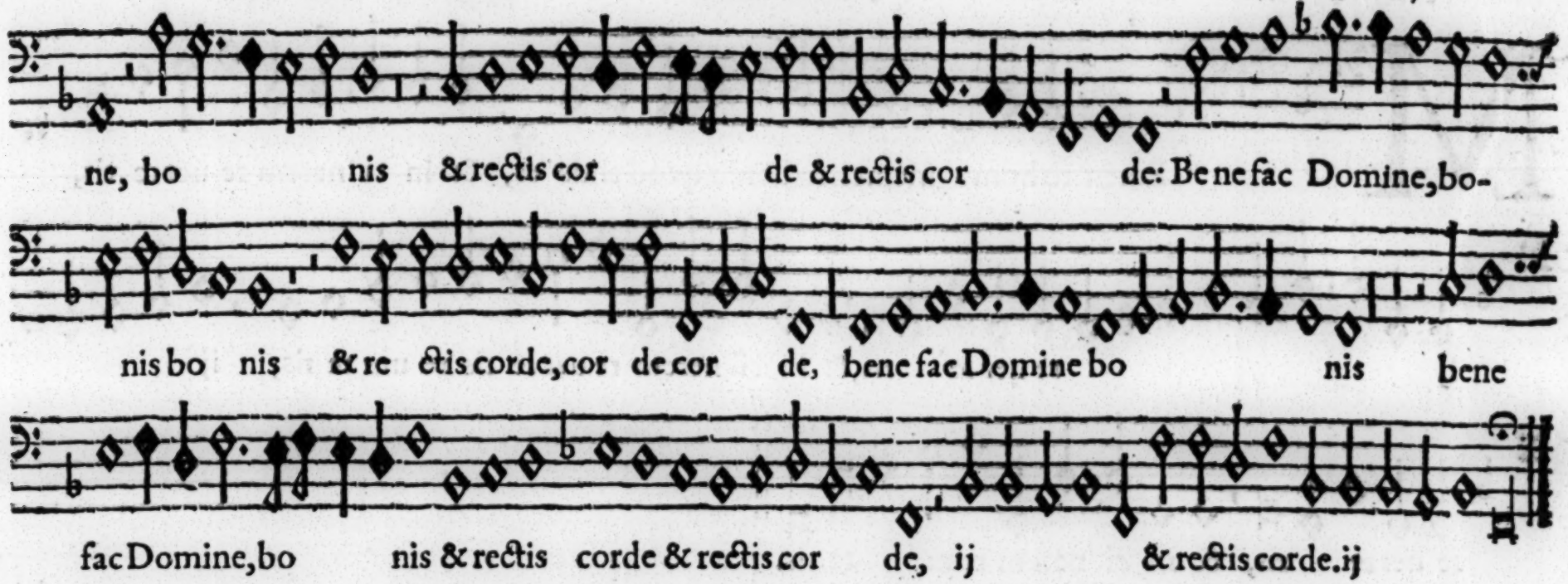
mi ni: ſit nomẽ Do mini be ne di ctũ, ſit nomẽ Do mini bene di ctũ ex

hoc nũc & vſ que in ſe culum: au xi lium me um à Domino à Do mino qui

fe cit cœlũ & ter ram, qui fe cit cœlũ & ter ram, au xi lium me um à Domino

qui fecit cœlũ & terrã, ter ram ij & ter rã ter rã, Bene fac Domi-

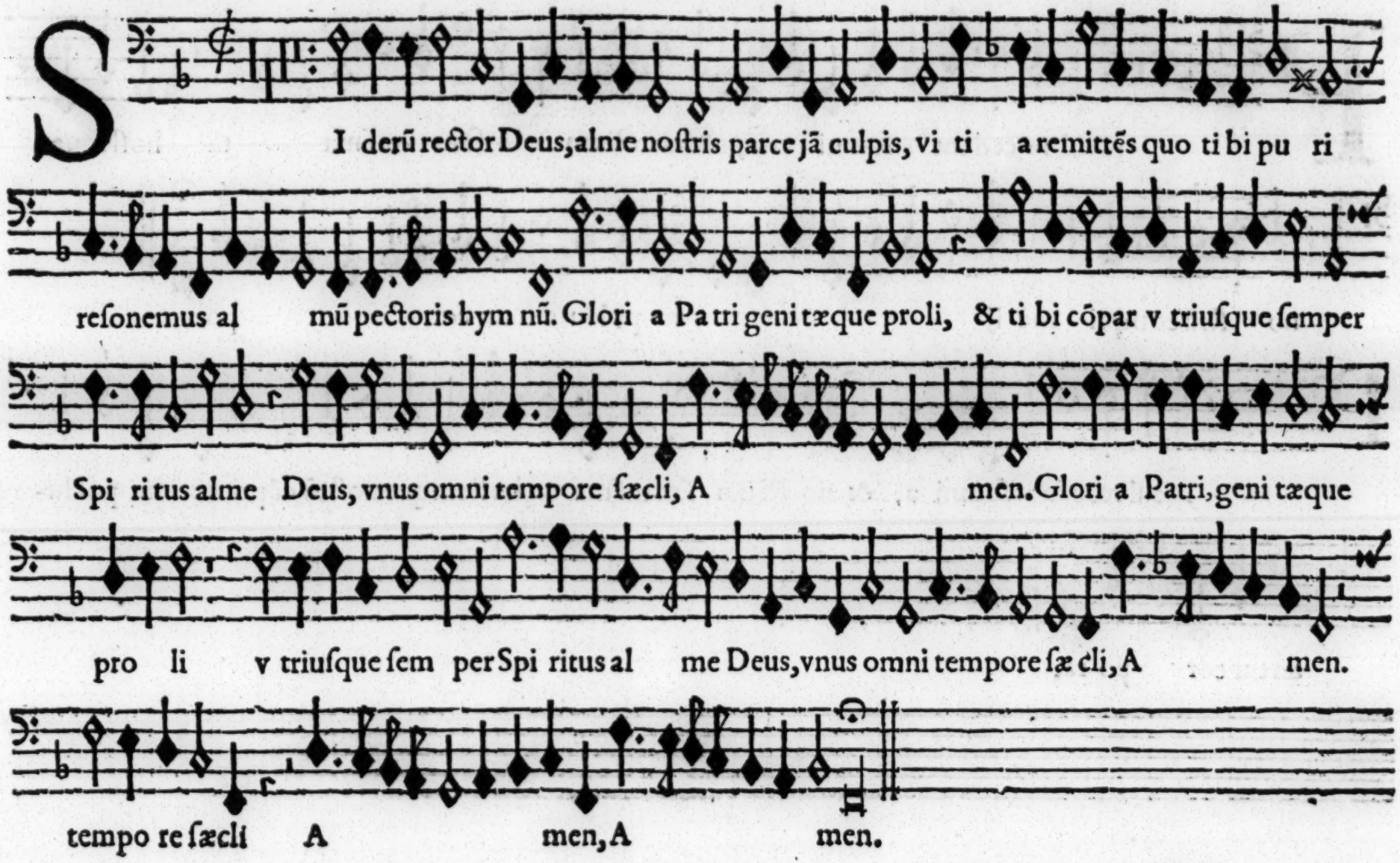
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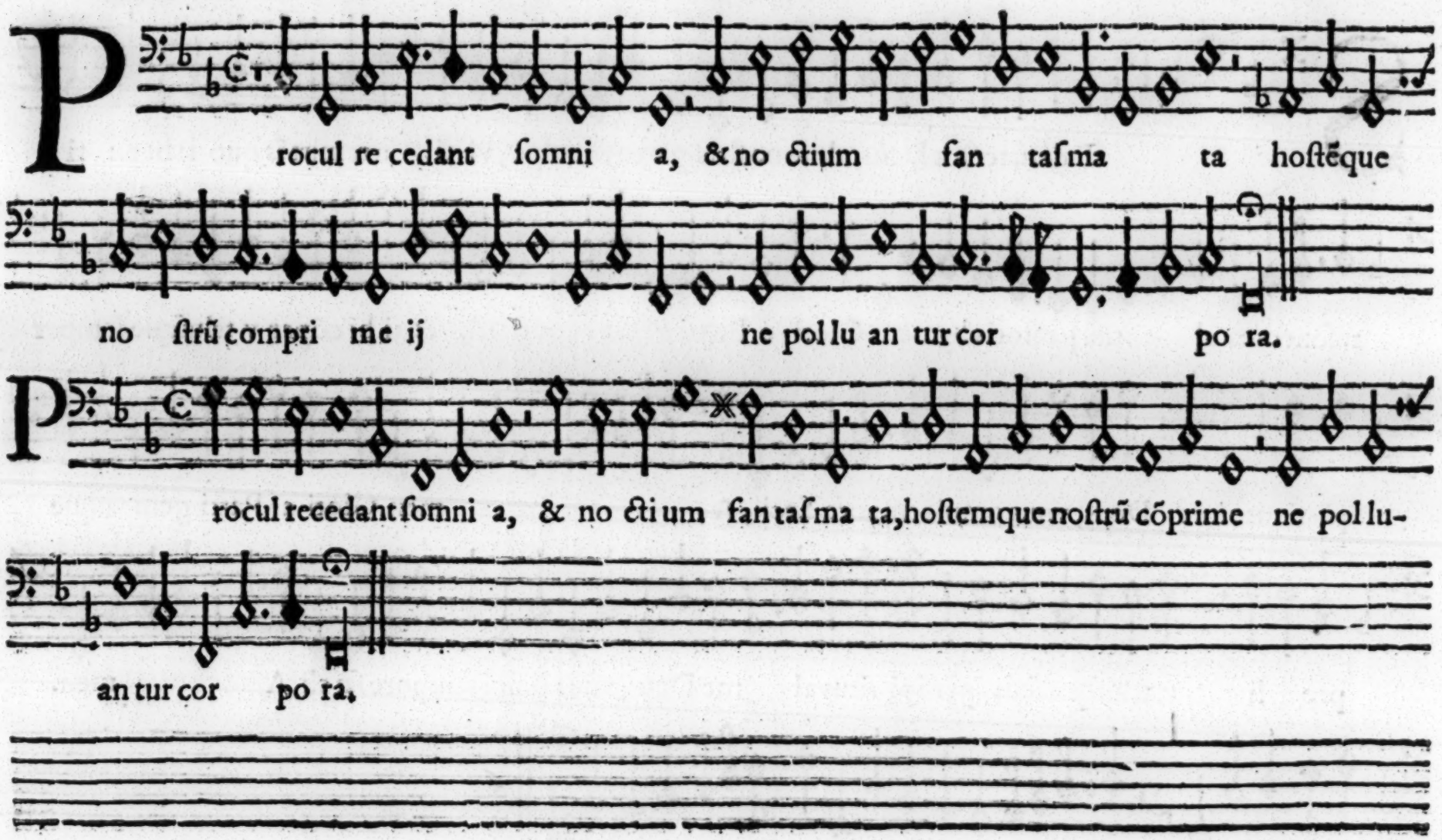

ne, bo nis & rectis cor de & rectis cor de: Bene fac Domine, bo-
nis bo nis & re ctis corde, cor de cor de, bene fac Domine bo nis bene
fac Domine, bo nis & rectis corde & rectis cor de, ij & rectis corde. ij

Memento homo memento homo quod cinis es, & in cinerem reuertis,

ij reuertis, & in cinerem reuertis reuertis, ij

reuertis, & in cinerem reuertis.


S I derũ rectorDeus,almenoſtris parcejã culpis,vi ti a remittẽs quo ti bi pu ri
reſonemus al mũ pectoris hym nũ. Glori a Pa tri geni tæque proli, & ti bi cõpar v triuſque ſemper
Spi ri tus alme Deus, vnus omni tempore ſæcli, A men.Glori a Patri,geni tæque
pro li v triuſque ſem perSpi ritus al me Deus,vnus omni tempore ſæ cli,A men.
tempo re ſæcli A men,A men.


Procul recedant somnia, & noctium fantasmata hostēque
nostrū comprimeij
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Procul recedant somnia, & noctium fantasmata, hostemque nostrū cōprime ne pollu-
antur corpora.

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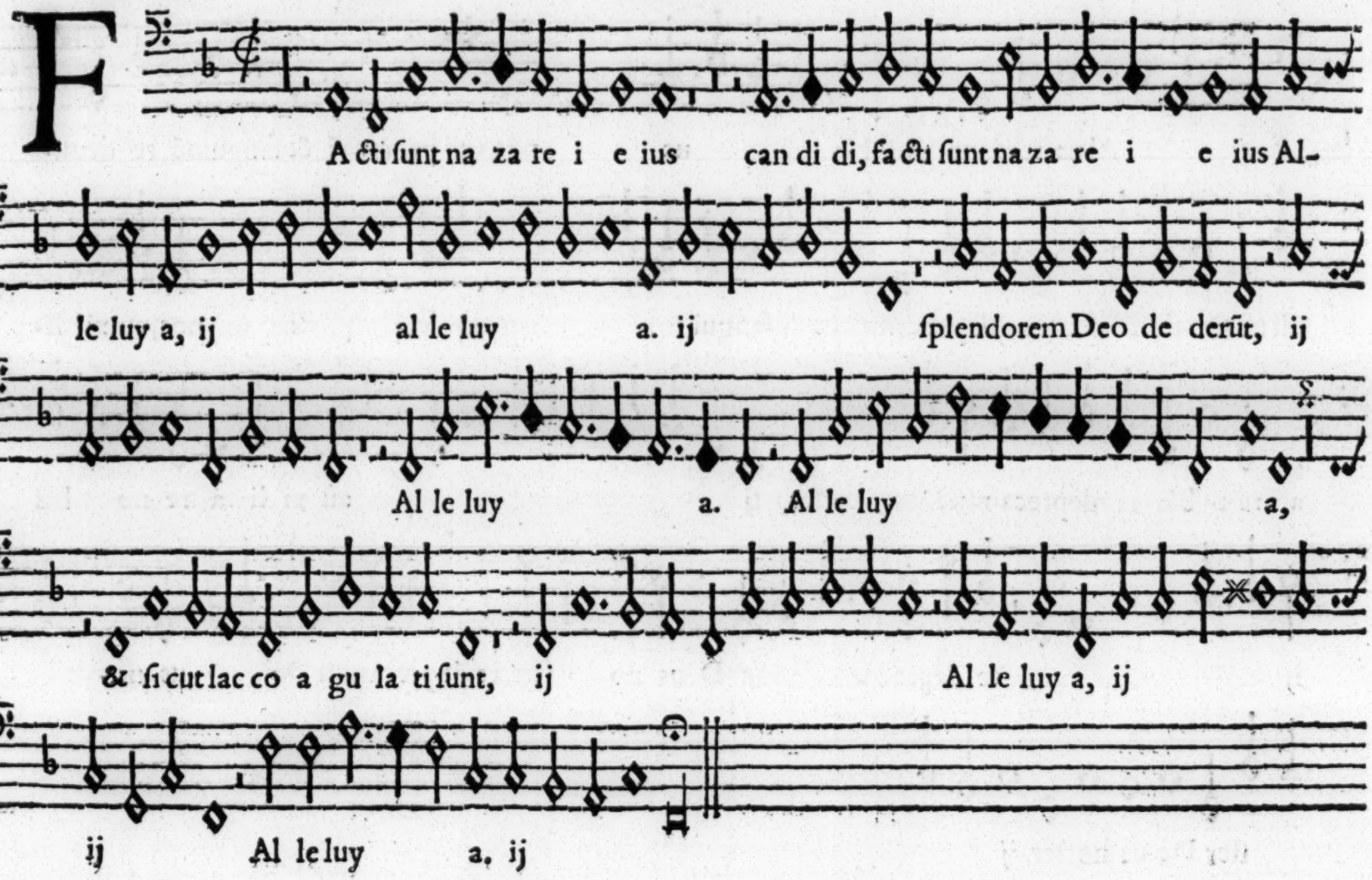
Alua tor mun di sal ua nos, qui per crucē & sanguinē re demi-

sti nos re de mi sti nos, qui per crucē & sangui nem re de mi sti nos, au xi li-

a re nobis te deprecamur Deus noster, ij au xi li a re no bis

ij te depre ca mur Deus no ster, te de precamur De us no-

ster De us noster. ij


F
A cti ſunt na za re i e ius can di di, fa cti ſunt na za re i e ius Al-
le luy a, ij al le luy a. ij ſplendorem Deo de derũt, ij
Al le luy a. Al le luy a,
& ſi cut lac co a gu la ti ſunt, ij Al le luy a, ij
ij Al le luy a, ij

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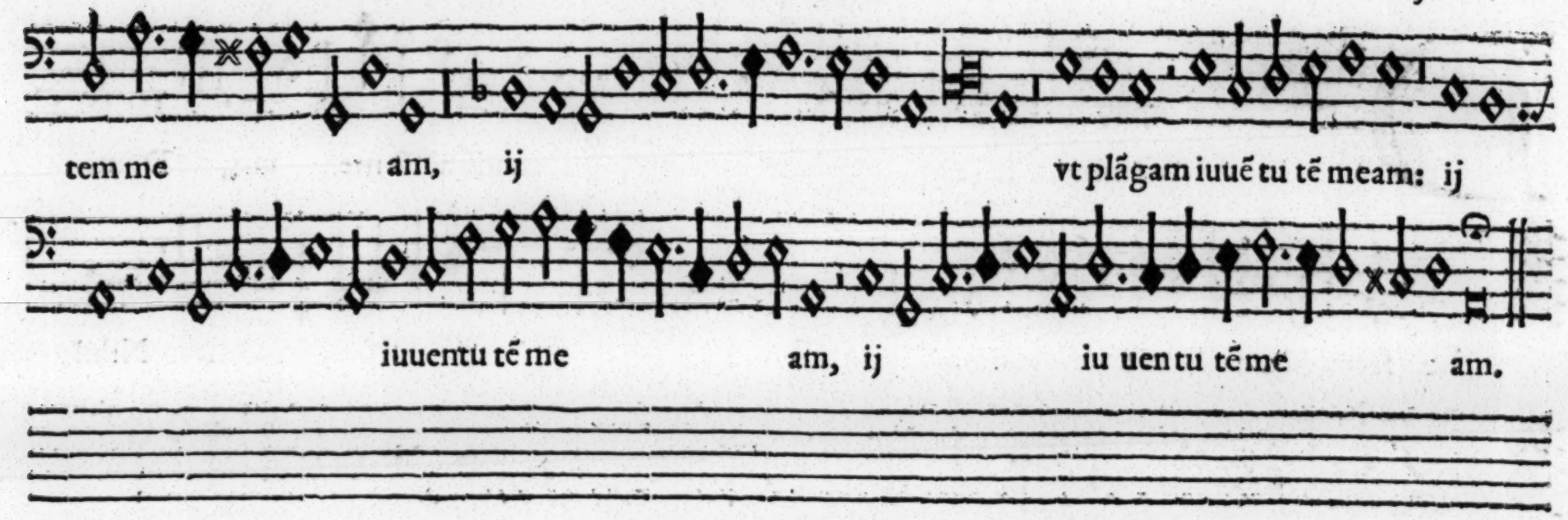
tri bu la ti o ne de tri bu la ti o ne, ij qui a va na ſa lus

ho mi nis, ij qui a va na ſa lus ho mi-

nis ſa lus ho minis, Aut a liquid ſaltem reſ pi ran di tẽpus Aut a liquid ſaltem reſ pi-

randi tempus reſ pi ran di tem pus, vt plãgam iu uentutem me am, vt plangã iuuen tu-

tem
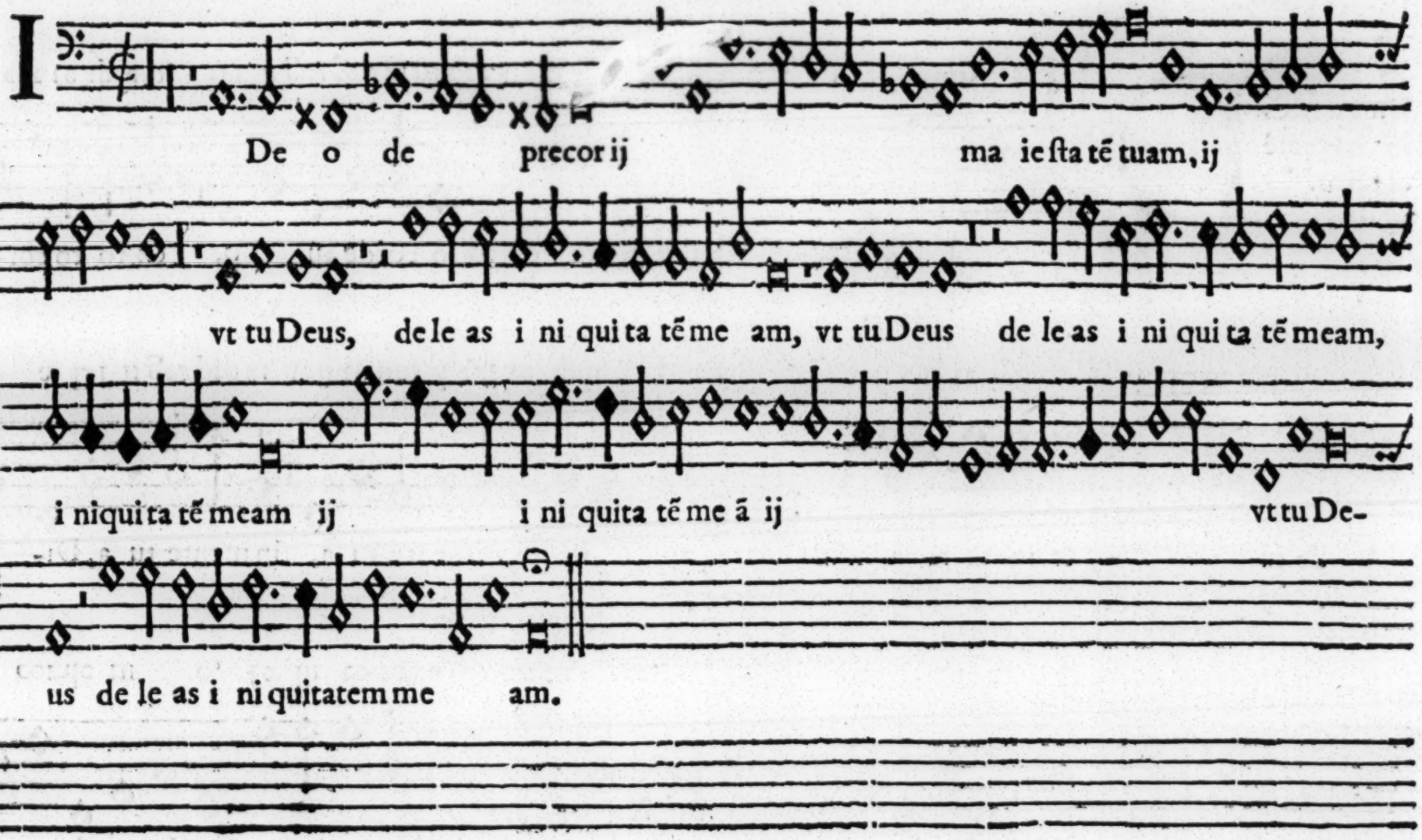

tem me am, ij
vt plãgam iuuẽ tu tẽ meam: ij
iuuentu tẽ me am, ij
iu uen tu tẽ me am.

D O mine, ſe cundũ actũ me um, ſecundũ actũ me um, Domi-

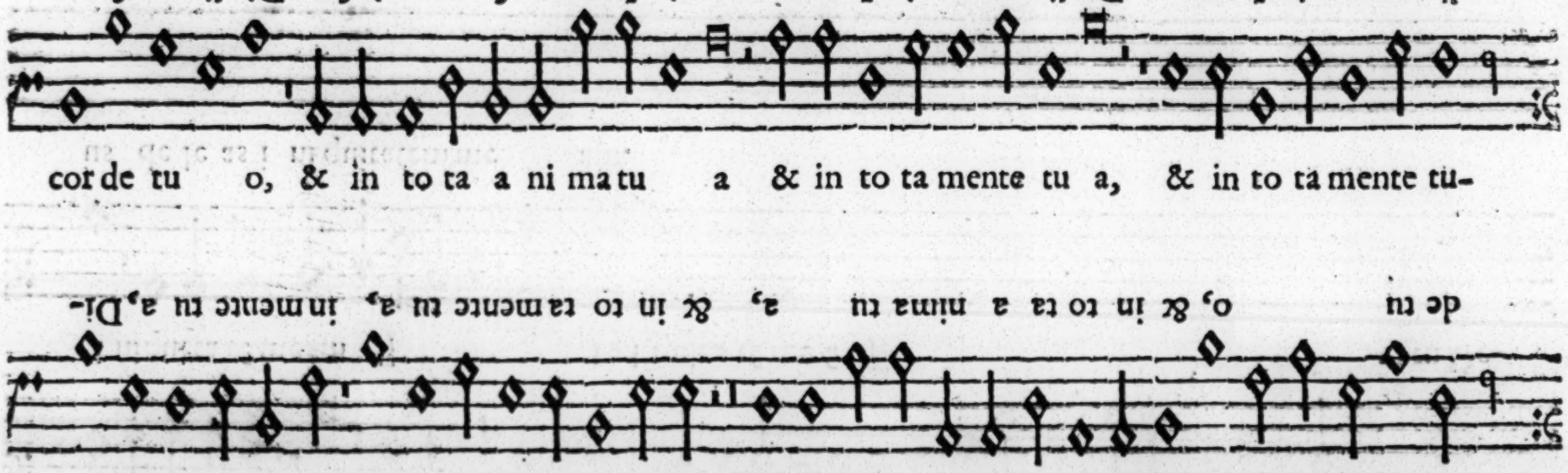
ne, ſecundũ a ctũ me um, no li me iu di ca re: ij Nihil

dignũ dig nũ ij in cõſpe ctu tu o e gi, ij in conſpectu tu-

o e gi e gi. ij


De o de precor ij ma ieſta tẽ tuam, ij
vt tu Deus, de le as i ni qui ta tẽ me am, vt tu Deus de le as i ni qui ta tẽ meam,
i niquita tẽ meam ij i ni quita tẽ me ã ij vt tu De-
us de le as i ni quitatem me am.

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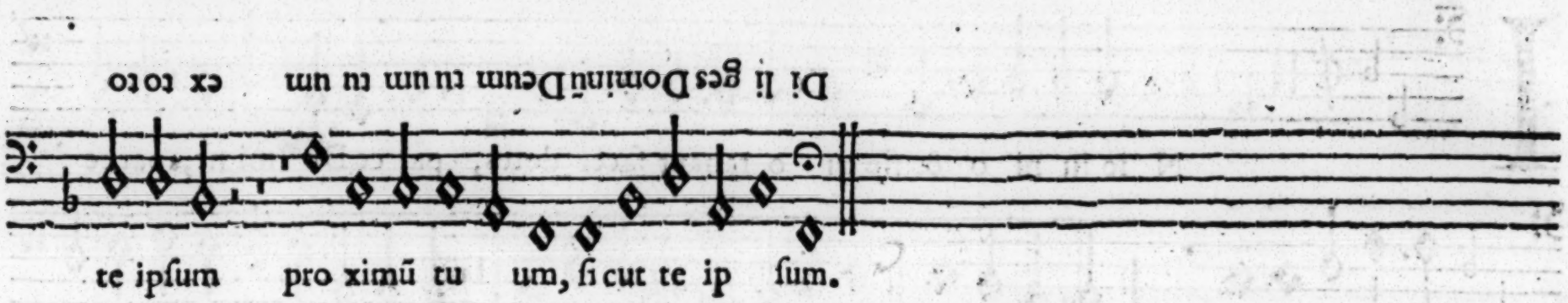


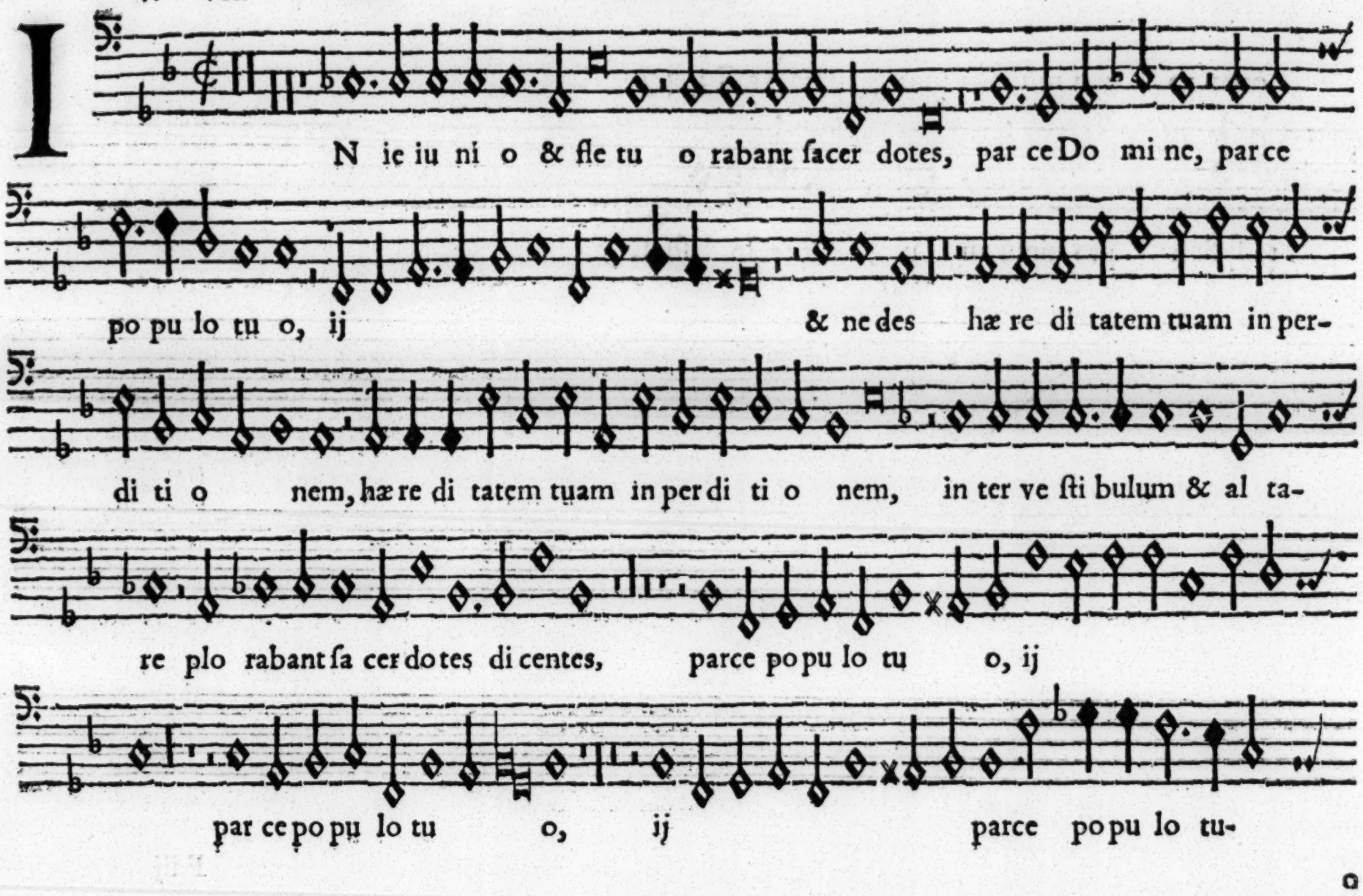
Di li ges pro xi mũ tu um ſi cut te ipſum, pro xi mũ tuum ſi cut te ipſum, pro xi mũ tuum ſi cut te ipſum, Di li ges ſi cut te ipſum, Di li ges pro xi mũ tuum
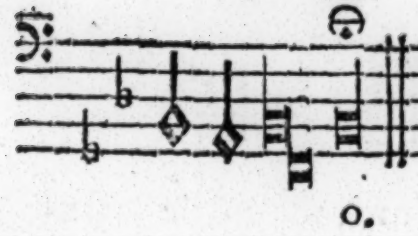
cut te ipſum, Di li ges pro xi mũ tu um, ſi cut te ipſum te ip ſum.

I li ges Dominũ Deum tuum ex to to corde tu o, ex to to cor- de tu o, & in to ta a ni ma tu a & in to ta mente tu a, & in to ta mente tu-

a, Di li ges pro xi mũ tu um ſi cut te ipſum, pro xi mũ tuum ſi cut te ipſum, proxi mũ tu um ſi-


Di li ges Dominũ Deum tu um tu um ex toto
te ipſum pro ximũ tu um, ſi cut te ip ſum.


IN ie iu ni o & fle tu o rabant ſacer dotes, par ce Do mi ne, par ce
po pu lo tu o, ij & ne des hæ re di tatem tuam in per-
di ti o nem, hæ re di tatem tuam in per di ti o nem, in ter ve ſti bulum & al ta-
re plo rabant ſa cer do tes di centes, parce po pu lo tu o, ij
par ce po pu lo tu o, ij parce po pu lo tu-


O.

S V ſcipe quæſo Do mi ne vocem cõ fiten tis, ſce le ra me a nõ de fen-

do ij nõ defendo, peccaui: ij De us mi ſe re re me-

i, mi ſe re re me i Deus mi ſe re re me i pecca ui, dele culpas meas grati-

a tu a, gra ti a tu a, ij grati a tu a. ij
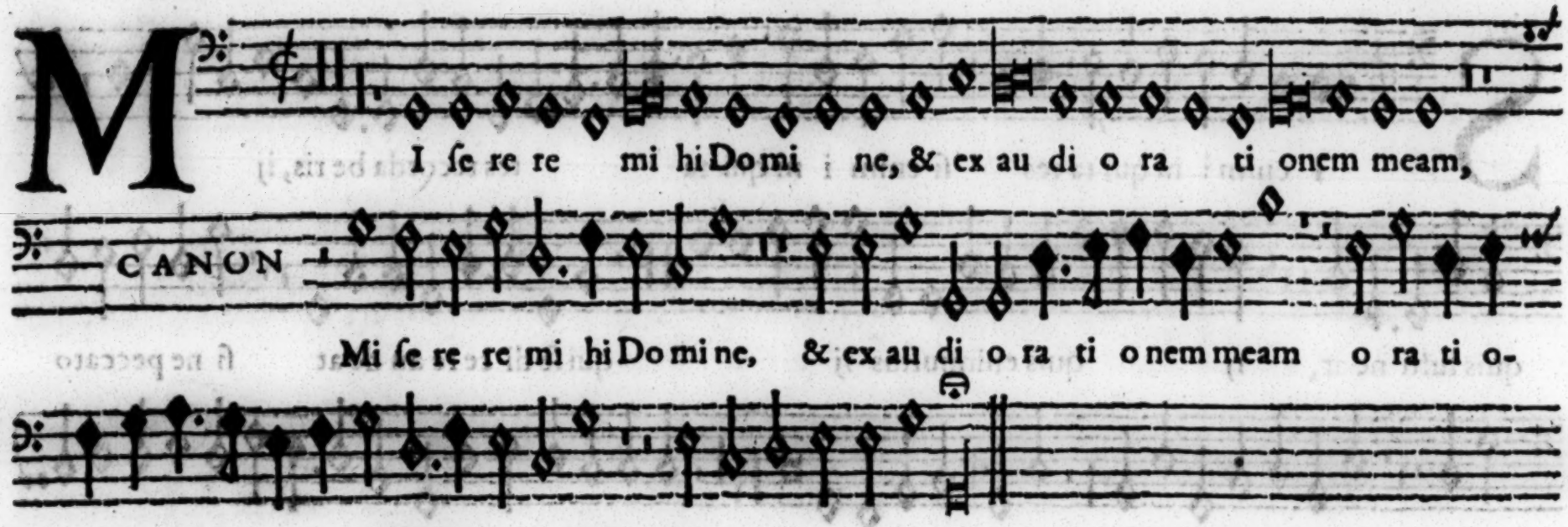
I enim i ni qui ta tes si enim i ni qui ta tes recorda be ris, ij

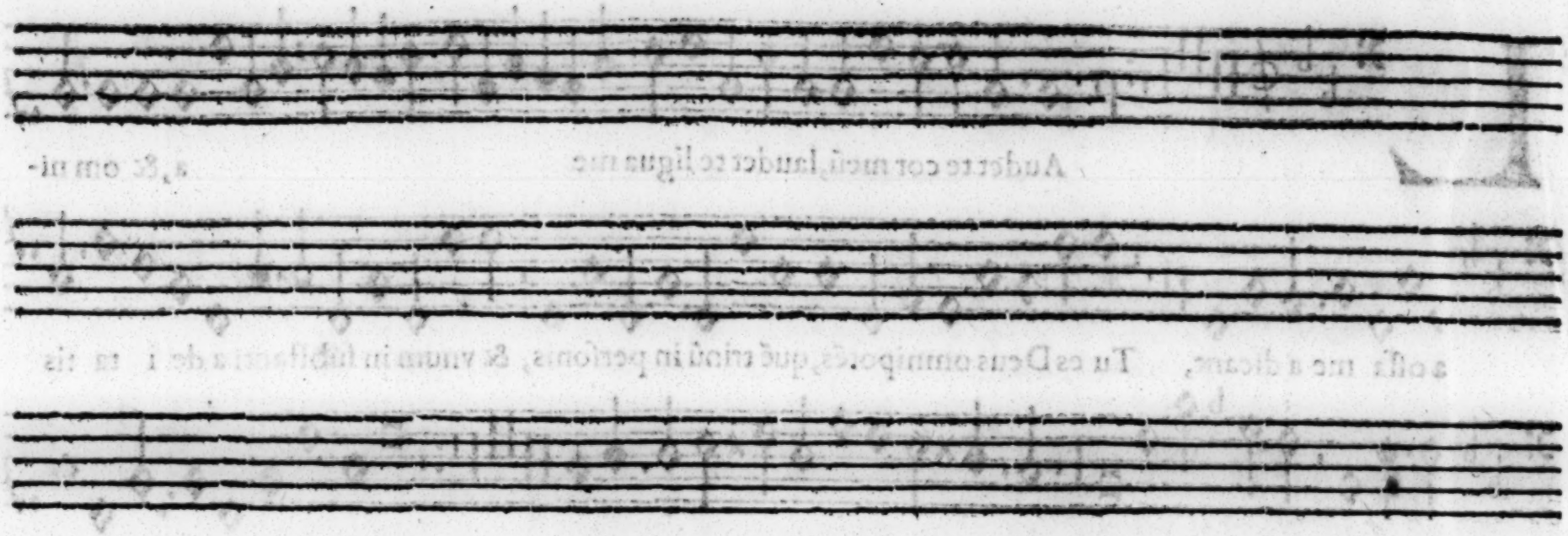
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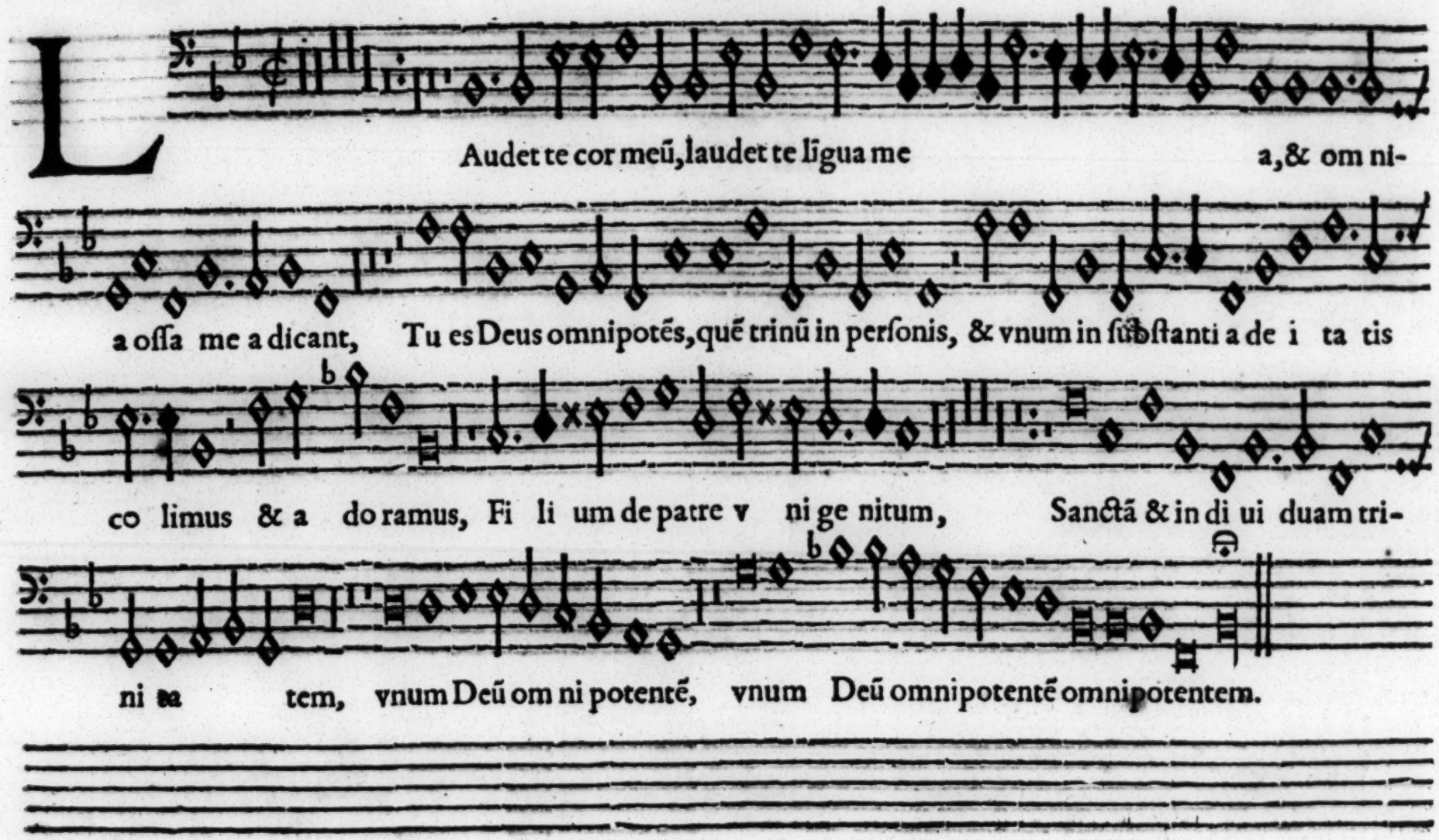
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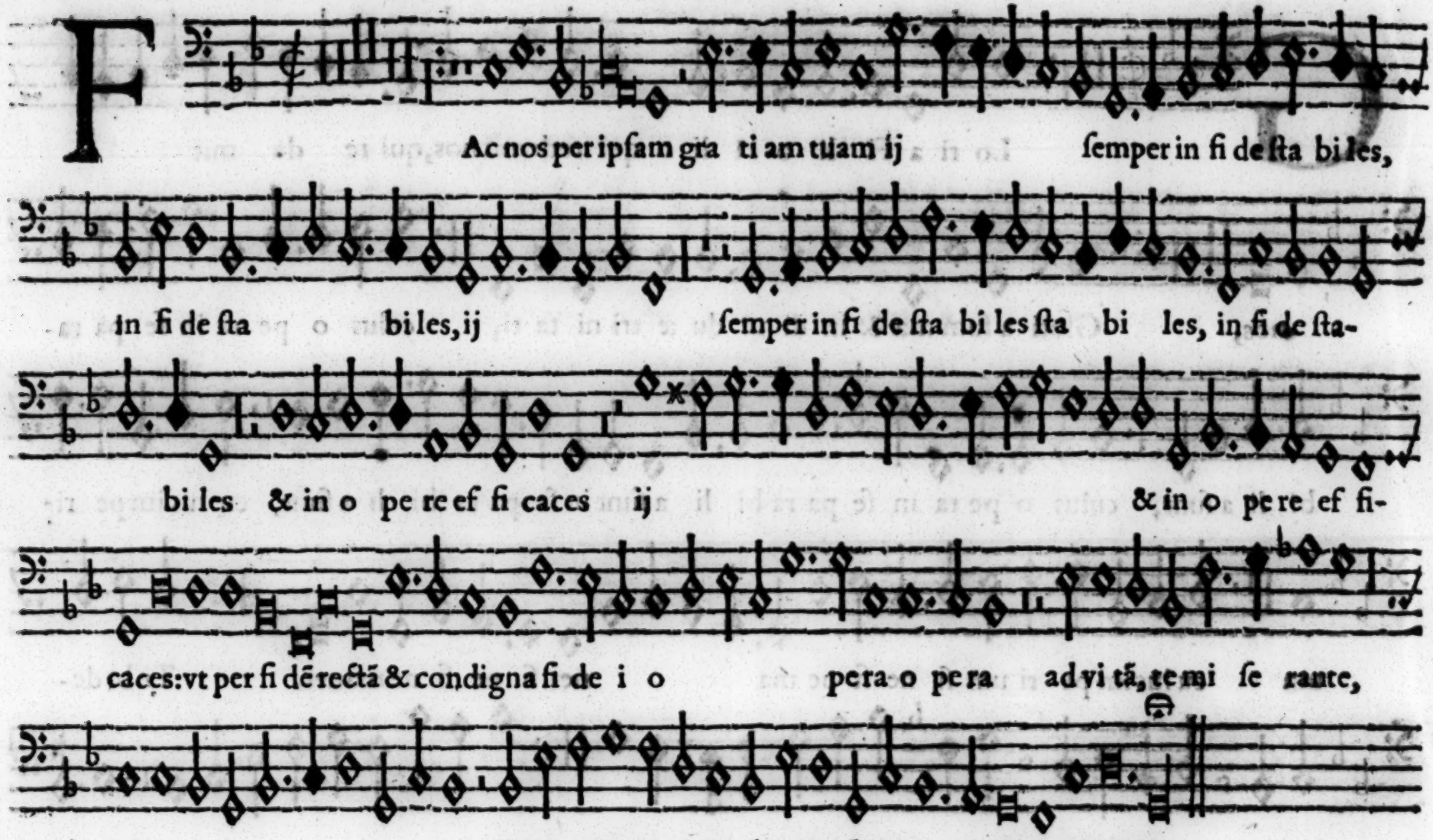
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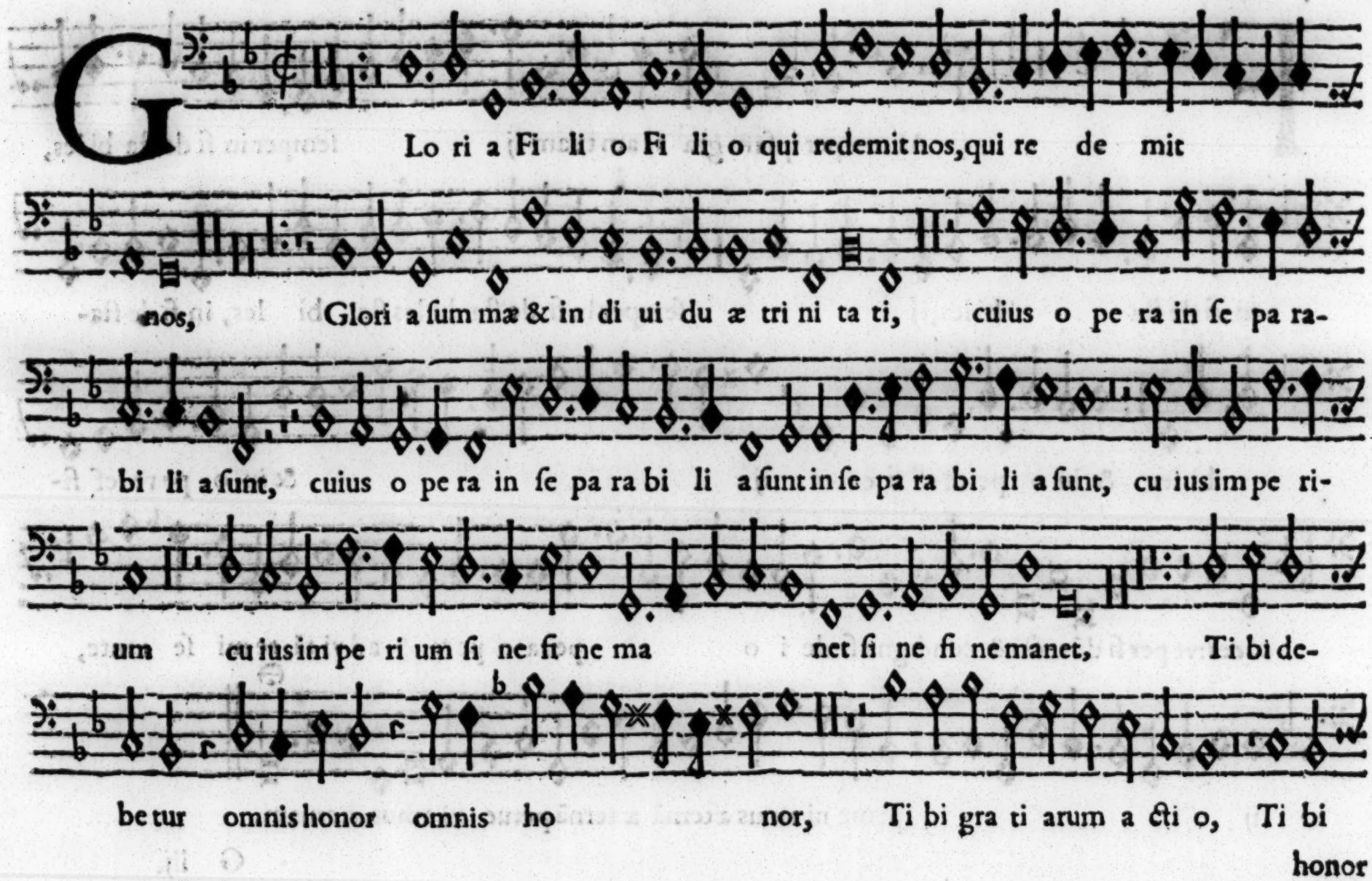
o ij in cōspectu tu o.


Miſere re mi hi Domi ne, & ex au di o ra ti onem meam,
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Miſere re mi hi Domine, & ex au di o ra ti onem meam o ra ti o-
nem me am. ij
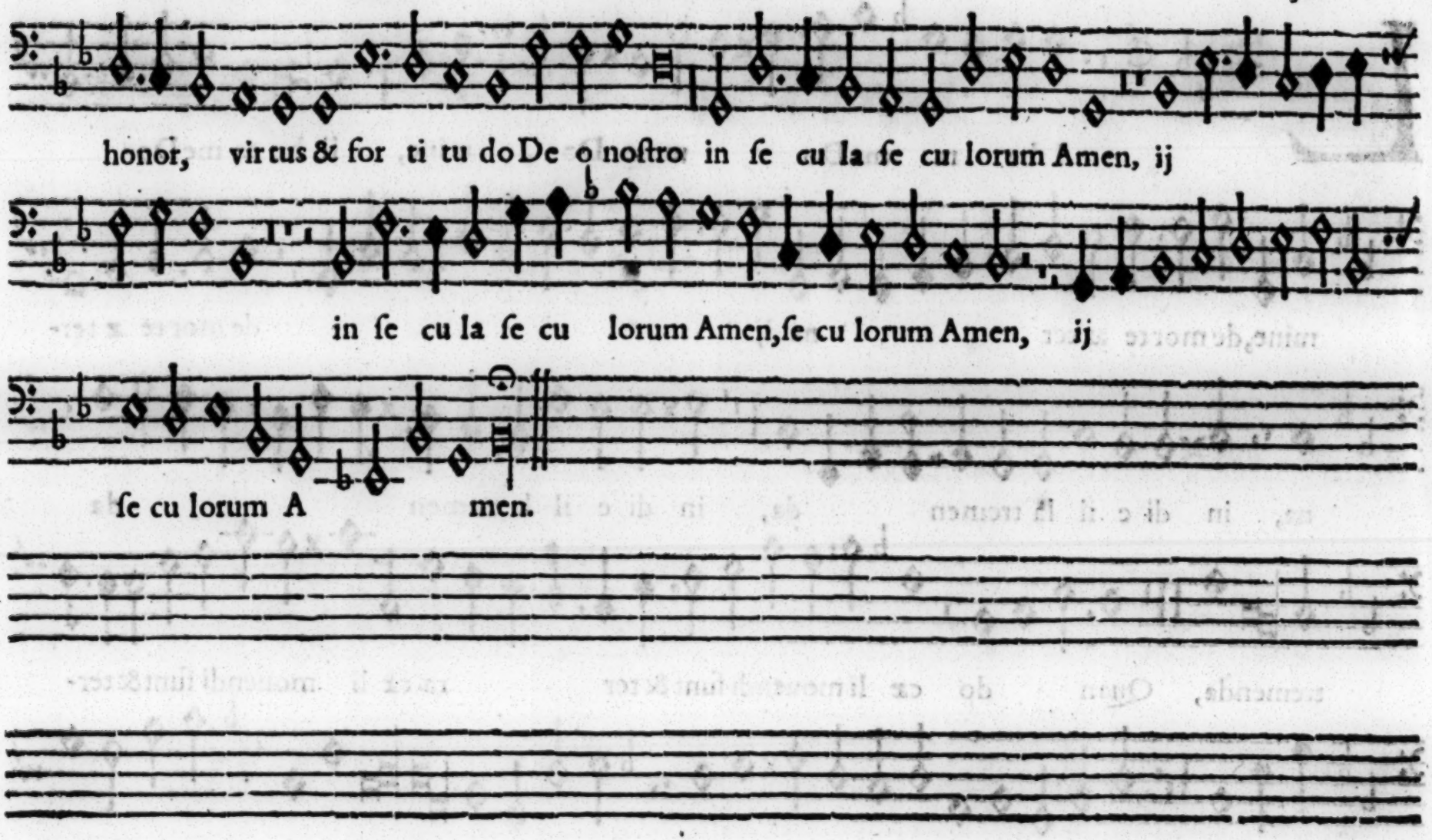



Laudet te cor meũ, laudet te lĩgua me a, & om ni-
a oſſa me a dicant, Tu es Deus omnipotẽs, quẽ trinũ in perſonis, & vnum in ſũbſtanti a de i ta tis
co limus & a do ramus, Fi li um de patre v ni ge nitum, Sanctã & in di ui duam tri-
ni ta tem, vnum Deũ om ni potentẽ, vnum Deũ omnipotentẽ omnipotentem.


Ac nos per ipſam gra ti am tuam ij ſemper in fi de ſta bi les,
in fi de ſta bi les, ij ſemper in fi de ſta bi les ſta bi les, in fi de ſta-
bi les & in o pe re ef fi caces ij & in o pe re ef fi-
caces: vt per fi dē rectā & condigna fi de i o pera o pera ad vi tā, te mi ſe rante,
ij perue ni amus æternā æ ternā perue ni amus æternam.


Lo ri a Fi li o Fi li o qui redemit nos, qui re de mit
nos, Glori a ſum mæ & in di ui du æ tri ni ta ti, cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra-
bi li a ſunt, cuius o pe ra in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt in ſe pa ra bi li a ſunt, cu ius im pe ri-
um cu ius im pe ri um ſi ne fi ne ma net ſi ne fi ne manet, Ti bi de-
be tur omnis honor omnis ho nor, Ti bi gra ti arum a cti o, Ti bi

honor


honor, virtus & for ti tu do De o noſtro in ſe cu la ſe cu lorum Amen, ij
in ſe cu la ſe cu lorum Amen, ſe cu lorum Amen, ij
ſe cu lorum A men.
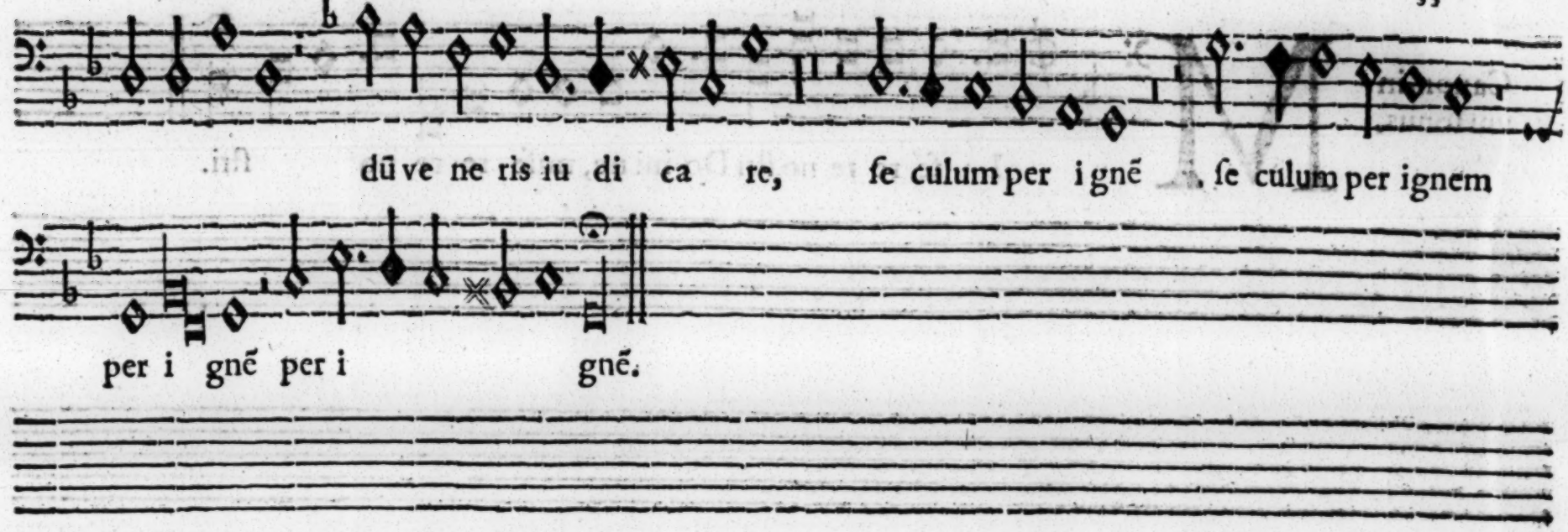
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mine,de morte æ ter na ij de morte æ ter-

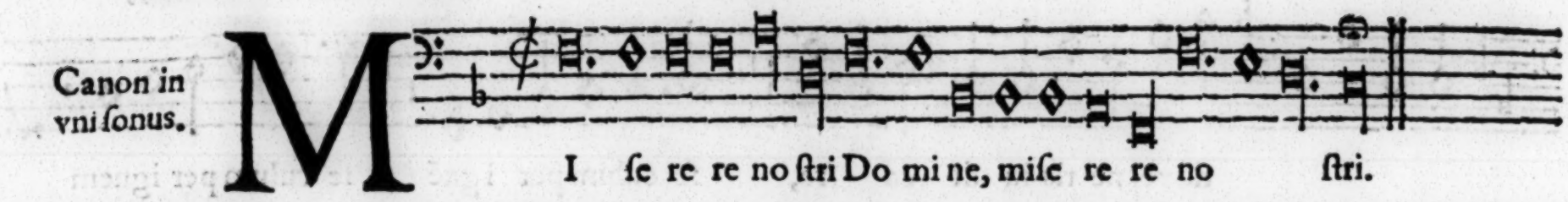
na, in di e il là tremen da, in di e il la tremen da

tremenda, Quan do cæ li mouendi ſunt & ter ra,cæ li mouendi ſunt& ter-

ra, Dũ ve ne ris iu di ca re dum vene ris iu di ca re, ij


dū ve ne ris iu di ca re, ſe culum per i gnē , ſe culum per ignem
per i gnē per i gnē.

Canon in vni ſonus.



## AVTORES CANTIONVM AD LECTOREM.

*Has tibi primitias ſic commendamus, amice*
*Lector, vt infantem depoſitura ſuum*
*Nutricis fidei vix firma puerpera credit,*
*Queis pro lacte tuæ gratia frontis erit.*
*Hac etenim fretæ, magnam promittere meſſem.*
*Audebunt, caſſæ, falcis honore cadent.*

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## Canones de tribus cantionibus.

Diliges Dominum, octo partes in quatuor, rectà & retrò.
Miſerere mihi, quatuor partes in duabus, cum duabus alijs ad placitum.
Miſerere noſtri, 6. partes in duabus, cum vna parte ad placitum.

# THE EXTRACT AND EFFECT OF THE QVENES

## Maieſties letters patents to Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde,

*for the printing of muſicke.*

*ELIZABETH by the grace of God Quene of Englande Fraunce and Irelande defender of the faith &c. To all printers bokeſellers and other officers miniſters and ſubiects greting, Knowe ye, that we for the eſpeciall affection and good wil that we haue and beare to the ſcience of muſicke and for the aduauncement thereof, by our letters patents dated the xxii. of Ianuary in the xvii. yere of our raigne, haue graunted full priuiledge and licence vnto our welbeloued ſeruaunts Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde Gent. of our Chappell, and to the ouerlyuer of them, & to the aſſignes of them and of the ſuruiuer of them, for xxi. yeares next enſuing, to imprint any and ſo many as they will of ſet ſonge or ſonges in partes, either in Engliſh, Latine, French, Italian, or other tongues that may ſerue for muſicke either in Churche or chamber, or otherwiſe to be either plaid or ſoonge, And that they may rule and cauſe to be ruled by impreſſion any paper to ſerue for printing or pricking of any ſonge or ſonges, and may ſell and vtter any printed bokes or papers of any ſonge or ſonges, or any bookes or quieres of ſuch ruled paper imprinted, Alſo we ſtraightly by the ſame forbid all printers bookeſellers ſubiects & ſtrangers, other then as is aforeſaid, to do any the premiſſes, or to bring or cauſe to be brought out of any forren Realmes into any our dominions any ſonge or ſonges made and printed in any forren countrie, to ſell or put to ſale, vpon paine of our high diſpleaſure, And the offender in any of the premiſſes for euery time to forfet to vs our heires and ſucceſſors fortie ſhllings, and to the ſaid Thomas Tallis & VVilliam Birde or to their aſſignes & to the aſſignes of the ſuruiuer of thē, all & euery the ſaid bokes papers ſonge or ſonges, VVe haue alſo by the ſame willed & commaunded our printers, maiſters & wardens of the miſterie of ſtacioners, to aſſiſt the ſaid Thomas Tallis and VVilliam Birde & their aſſignes for the dewe executing of the premiſſes.*

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